

WILL CROOKS IN VICTORIA

NOTED LABOR MEMBER
ON WAY ROUND WORLD

Speaks of Social Revolution in
England and Position of
Labor Party.

Will Crooks, member of the parliament of the United Kingdom for Woolwich since 1903, is in the city to-day and will lecture this evening in the A. O. U. W. hall on the advanced legislation secured during the last few years.

Mr. Crooks is on a tour of the empire to learn of labor conditions in each part of it. He has gone through Canada with open eyes, but he modestly declines to discuss our conditions or make suggestions, but he will talk freely of things as they are in the old land. "I am here to observe and learn, not to advise," he says. His life has been a strenuous one, and during most of his fifty-seven years he has been a toiler. In addition to making a livelihood he has given largely of his time for the last twenty years as a representative of his fellow workers on public bodies. He has been a member of the London County Council since 1882, chairman of the Poplar Board of



WILL CROOKS, M. P.

Guardians since 1898, is a member of the Metropolitan Asylum Board, and in 1901 was mayor of Poplar. Not only among workmen is he intensely popular, but the confidence of the people generally in him is shown by his frequent re-elections to parliament and the bodies mentioned.

In appearance Mr. Crooks is a typical representative of the British artisan. He is of sturdy build, shrewd, shrewd and alert, with a sympathetic face, heavy-lidded eyes, and a pointed beard, both lightly sprinkled with grey. To a Times reporter this morning Mr. Crooks talked freely of labor conditions in England.

"The labor party in England has an influence far greater than its numbers in parliament indicate," said the member for Woolwich. "In many a constituency in which no labor candidate was run we found a marked disposition to defer to the desires and demands of the working class. And if a promise is given to vote in the workingman's interest, or give consideration to measures affecting the people at large, I



MRS. CROOKS.

can assure you that we do not let that member forget it. The demeanor of the labor members has always been such as to inspire confidence in their ability and reasonableness on the part of the people. Frequent tributes have been paid to them by leaders of the big parties—Mr. Asquith, Mr. Balfour, Mr. Chamberlain and others have spoken warmly of the debating ability of the labor members and of the value of having in the House men with first-hand knowledge of industrial conditions.

"There is a social upheaval going on in Great Britain, but it is progressing sensibly, safely and surely. The people at large are becoming more and more alive to their right to representation in parliament by real representatives instead of by the self-constituted ruling classes, to their right to have legislation enacted which will be in the interests of the masses of the people instead of privileged classes."

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ACTIVITY IN REAL ESTATE

CONSIDERABLE PROPERTY
NOW CHANGING HANDS

Thos. Catterall Buys on Upper
Fort Street—Douglas Street
Corner Sold.

There is a distinct revival in interest in real estate in Victoria, and agents report many enquiries with the prospect of a large number of properties changing hands in the immediate future. A feature of the situation is that, contrary to what has occurred in previous periods of activity in real estate, local people are now taking the lead in acquiring desirable pieces of property which appear to be good investments. It had been the practice to leave the newcomers to take the initiative in such enterprise. It is believed, however, that very shortly the first of the big crowd expected to come from the prairie provinces for the winter will be here, and then the activity in real estate will become more pronounced.

That the business section of the city is witnessing a clear from some recent deals which have been completed. The Times announced a couple of days ago that Dr. Herman Robertson had acquired a desirable property on Quadra, near Fort Street, with the intention of erecting a fine residence, with office quarters, and now it is learned that in the immediate vicinity another piece of land has been sold to Thomas Catterall, the well-known building contractor, who will erect shops and offices.

The lot which Mr. Catterall has acquired is on the south side of Fort Street, just above Quadra. It has a frontage of 60 feet on Fort Street and runs right through to Mears, with the same frontage on the latter street. It has a depth of 100 feet. It is Mr. Catterall's intention to proceed at once with the clearing of the site of the few small buildings which now occupy it and erect a large and commodious shop with office quarters.

The deal for the transfer of the land was put through by L. Y. Conyers & Co. The sum involved is not mentioned.

Another local real estate transaction of interest is the transfer of the large piece of property, on which are seven stores, on the northeast corner of Douglas and Johnson streets, until recently held by Messrs. Joseph Bros., of London, England. The purchaser is H. J. Scott, of the Hamilton Powder Company, and the deal was made through the agency of Grant & Linham. The sum involved is said to have been in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

The property has a 120-foot frontage on Douglas Street and 60 feet on Johnson Street, and the number of one-story buildings occupying the site are Vasilio's fruit store, Wood's barber shop, Macdonald's boot and shoe store, Matthews' barber shop, the Scotch bakery, and Jones' cigar store. These front on Douglas Street, and there is one small store and a cottage fronting on Johnson Street.

It is the intention of Mr. Scott to subdivide the property into four lots, making three 25-foot lots and one 45-foot corner—the idea being to meet the demands for sites for small stores in a good business locality.

It is understood that Douglas Street business property is being held at higher figures now in view of the fact that with the extension of the tram line to the Saanich peninsula at an early date that thoroughfare will become the main artery of all the traffic to and from that rapidly developing section.

Building permits have been issued to the Island Investment Company for the erection of a frame building on McBride Street, to cost \$2,000; to Thos. Gaffney for a building on McPherson Street, to cost \$2,300, and to Gaspar Loupouee for a frame addition to the building situated on lot 6, Cook Street.

JEALOUS LOVER SHOT BY POLICEMAN

Vaudeville Actor Wounded
While Searching for His
Rival.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 7.—Milo Crocker, aged 22, a vaudeville actor, is in the city hospital to-day with a bullet wound in his stomach that is believed to be fatal. He was shot into last night by Patrolman Charles B. Melson, following a quarrel over a girl.

Crocker and the girl, Ethel Livingston, had attended a dance at Dreamland hall. Crocker, according to the girl, told her that if she went home with anyone else but him he would cause trouble. She said no need to his threats. Shortly after Melson was notified that Crocker was looking for the railroad he compelled to establish a through route between Seattle and points on his line. The complainant contends that under an agreement with the Alaska Steamship Company and the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, wharfage charges are absorbed by the railroad at Skagway, but that wharf charges are taxed against the Humboldt company. The complainant alleges discrimination in favor of the Alaska Steamship Company and the Pacific Coast company.

The case has no precedent because of the question of jurisdiction involved.

BERNIE WILL SPEAK.
Ottawa, Oct. 7.—Capt. Bernie has accepted an invitation to address the Canadian club here next Saturday.

U. S. AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE.

Rumor That Henry White Has Been
Recalled From Paris.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 7.—It is being persistently rumored in official circles here that Ambassador Henry White has been recalled from Paris and that he will be succeeded by Robert Bacon, formerly the secretary of state. The report, however, is not admitted to be true by the officials of the state department.

It is stated that the bond of affection between White and the President is not very strong.

GOLDWIN SMITH STATUE.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—Goldwin Smith, through the president of the Toronto Press Club, Pergus Kyle, thanks the citizens for the suggestion of a statue in his honor, but says at the same time a statue is the final seal and should not be affixed till the record of life is complete.

ROAD ACCUSED OF DISCRIMINATION

COMPLAINT AGAINST
WHITE PASS COMPANY

Hearing Opened Before the
Commerce Commission
at Seattle.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 7.—Coast freight rates are under investigation here by the full membership of the Interstate Commerce commission, which to-day began a hearing that is expected to occupy a week. Coast shippers are asking for a readjustment of the east-bound traffic as far as they reach in order that coast manufacturers and jobbers may compete on an equal footing with the shippers of St. Paul.

LOST LIFE IN EXPLOSION.



Thomas O'Connell, one of the victims of the Extension mine explosion. He was one of the most popular young men in the community and known well in athletic circles elsewhere.

SCIENTISTS TO EXAMINE DR. COOK'S RECORDS

University of Copenhagen and
American Society to Make
Investigation.

(Times Leased Wire.)

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 7.—Duplicate copies of his records made in the dash to the North Pole are being prepared to-day by Dr. Frederick A. Cook, and will be sent to the American Geological Society and University of Copenhagen, in Denmark.

Dr. Cook, in an interview, outlined his plan as follows: "My original records will go first to the University of Copenhagen. I intend, however, to have duplicates made. These will be submitted to the American Geographic Society. I shall request the Copenhagen authorities to withhold their announcement until the American society has had an opportunity to come to a conclusion. Then when the scientists on both sides of the water are ready the announcement will be made simultaneously in both places."

RETIRED OFFICERS WILL COME HERE

NUMBER DECIDE TO
SETTLE NEAR VICTORIA

City and Surroundings Offer
Attractions to Men of Mod-
erate Means.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Oct. 6.—Col. Gordon, of London, who is on a visit here, is interested in Vancouver Island as a place of residence for retired officers of the British army. For several years he has been engaged in bringing that district to the notice of officers of the army who are living retired in various parts of Britain. Recently he crossed the continent with a party of officers who went through to Victoria and who expect to make permanent homes near there.

Most of the officers whom Col. Gordon hopes to interest have no close attachments to bind them to England. They are of independent income, but not so large as to enable them to live in the most expensive ways. Near Victoria they can get all the land they want and can live as they cannot expect to do in the Mother Country. They will build good homes and will prove in all respects desirable residents.

Col. Gordon will discuss land along the Alberni extension with Mr. Whyte of the C. P. R. while here.

MISSIONARY DEAD.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 7.—Rev. Egerton Ryerson Young, missionary, author, canoeist and lecturer, one of the most interesting figures in the Methodist church in Canada, passed away at his home, "Algonquin Lodge," Bedford, after a lengthy illness. He was born at Crosby, Ont., April 7th, 1840, his father being a Methodist minister.

WALKS MILES WHILE ASLEEP.

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 7.—Wrapped only in her night gown, barefooted and bareheaded, Mrs. Ella Murphy, while in a state of somnambulism, left her home on Park Avenue and reached Seventeenth Street and San Pablo Avenue before she was awakened. When she awoke after Policeman Flessants had accosted her, Mrs. Murphy had walked two miles. She fainted when she realized what she had done. Even after she had been awakened by the policeman, it was some time before she fully recovered her senses. Except for being thoroughly chilled, she seems to have sustained no bad after effects from her episode.

CANADA'S RESOURCES.

Montreal, Oct. 7.—Lord Balfour, of Bureleigh, addressed the Canadian Club yesterday afternoon. He expressed himself as being very much pleased with the magnitude of Canada's resources, the use to which they were being put, the growth of the country and its development, and the great possibilities opening up before it.

MUTINY AMONG GREEK SAILORS

DESPERATE FIGHT ON
STEAMER ST. JOHN

Six Men Wounded—Mutineers
Secure Small Boat and Make
Their Escape.

(Times Leased Wire.)

New Orleans, Oct. 7.—A mutiny ending in a battle aboard the coastwise steamer St. John, in which six men were wounded, was reported to the customs officials here to-day by Capt. Spiro Casovich. According to the captain, four Greeks attempted to take possession of the vessel and smuggle Chinese aboard.

The mutineers were members of the crew, and Nick Shotokos, accused of former implication in Chinese smuggling, was the alleged ring-leader of the Greeks.

The St. John was anchored off Gulfport, Miss., when the uprising occurred. A brother of the captain of the vessel was doing watch when the mutineers fell upon and overcame him. His cries for assistance attracted the attention of the captain and other members of the crew, who rushed to the assistance of the man doing watch duty. Although the Greeks were greatly outnumbered, they put up a stubborn resistance and the fight lasted for half an hour before they were worsted.

Realizing the seriousness of their action and the probable outcome, if they ever were brought into court on a mutiny charge, the defeated Greeks leaped overboard, swam to a small boat and escaped.

The federal officers this afternoon are conducting a search for the men. When the effects of the mutineers were searched, a map of Mexico and arms and ammunition were found.

The federal officers believe that the Greeks intended to take the steamer to Mexico and smuggle a shipment of Chinese into this country.

ALLEGED CONSPIRATOR.

Hamilton, Oct. 7.—John Taglierno, an Italian, committed for trial to-day on the charge of being a Black Hand conspirator, is alleged to be the man who induced three other Italians to hold up another Italian named Sanzone on the Dundas road and demand \$1,000.

MANY PERISH IN WRECK OF STEAMER

Seventeen Bodies Washed
Ashore From Portuguese
Vessel.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Lisbon, Portugal, Oct. 7.—The Portuguese steamer Bastos Reis was wrecked off Avero. Seventeen bodies have been washed ashore and it is feared that most of the crew of 45 men have been drowned.

J. M. BARRIE SUES FOR DIVORCE

London, Oct. 7.—J. M. Barrie, the novelist and playwright, has entered action for divorce against his wife, who was Mary Ansell, an actress.

TWO MINERS KILLED.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 7.—Fred Evanson and Matt Cello were instantly killed by a fall of slate in the mines here this morning. Both men were aged 28 years.

COURT DISMISSES PETITION.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 7.—The petition against the return of Mr. Prowse, Liberal M. P. for Queen's county, was dismissed by the Supreme court yesterday.

REV. A. MURDOCH DEAD.

Waterford, Ont., Oct. 7.—Rev. A. Murdoch, M. A., LL.D., the well known writer, died yesterday, aged 63 years.

ALL BODIES OF MINE VICTIMS RECOVERED

Thirty-Two Lives Were Lost by the Explosion at
Extension—Funerals of the Dead
Taking Place To-Day.

(By Staff Representative of the Times.)

Ladysmith, Oct. 7.—The suspense of the people of Ladysmith is at an end in regard to the recovering of the bodies of the victims of the awful explosion on Tuesday morning in Extension mine. The last lifeless forms, those of Hermann Patterson and Mike Doncalovich, were this morning borne out and placed in the temporary morgue, just as many of the others were being transferred to the train.

The victims number 32 in all, the name of the young loader who could not at first be identified proving to be Mickal Gustav.

The funerals commenced this morning at 10 o'clock, and to-morrow there will be a funeral every hour of the day, a sad day in the history of the place, rivalling in that respect only the fateful morning of Tuesday.

Six bodies are being laid to rest to-day. They are Alex. Melon at 10 a.m.; William Davidson at 2 p.m.; Robert Marshall and John Hewett at 3 p.m., and two Austrians at 4.30. The bodies of Andrew Moffatt, John Imstiger and Hermann Patterson have been taken to Nainaimo, and interment will take place in that city. The end of the week will see all the bodies laid in their last resting place, and not till then will the sympathetic people of the town give one thought to the future. To speak of

blowing out of a shot, or the collecting of gas owing to a defect in ventilation. Any of these things could have caused the trouble.

Frank Sheppard, chief mine inspector, said that the mine was not in very bad condition considering the circumstances. Everything had been done that could have been done and the mine would soon be ready for working again. The inquest on the bodies of the victims would be delayed until they had made a thorough examination of the mine and then it would be concluded.

Alex. Dick, mine inspector, would not venture an opinion as to the cause of the accident. Later on, he said, they would be able to tell more about it.

Relief Measures.

Yesterday afternoon a public meeting was held here to consider the question of rendering aid to the bereaved. Mayor Nicholson, who had called the meeting, presided and there was a good attendance. In the course of the discussion it was shown that the widows would each receive the sum of \$300 from the miners' sick and burial fund, and that under the Workmen's Compensation Act each family was entitled to the sum of \$1,500 from the company. This would provide for all immediate necessities.

A committee was appointed to take the matter of relief in hand, consisting of Mayor Nicholson, L. M. de Gex, John Stewart, Theodore Bryant, Rev. R. Wilkinson and William Ball. These

TWO OF THE VICTIMS



1. Thompson Parkins, and daughter, who survives him. 2. Oscar Nyman.

it at present sounds to them like sacrilege.

The last two bodies to be taken from the mine were those of Patterson and Doncalovich. They were found some distance from the others, and the heaviest work had to be carried forward before the men could advance into the mine.

Inspecting the Mine.

The mine is now practically free from gas and the dreaded freddamp has all been swept away by the current of fresh air from the outside. To-day Chief Inspector Sheppard, Inspector Dick and the mine officials have commenced their work of inspection, and the clearing up and repairing of the mine is still being continued. When the official inspection has been made the officials will be in a position to give an opinion as to the origin of the explosion.

Manager Interviewed.

Andrew Bryden, manager of the Extension mine, was seen last evening just after he came out from a long shift, which was rewarded by the recovery of two of the bodies of the unfortunate victims and the finding of more.

The manager said it would take only a few days to get the mine into shape again. Work, he thought, would commence again about Monday. Comparatively little damage was done to the mine.

Speaking of the work of the rescue parties he said that they had done all that anyone could desire. No man waited to be asked when he thought he was wanted. They carried their lives in their hands, but no one thought of that for one moment.

The victims of the disaster, Mr. Bryden said, had all made an effort to escape, the positions in which they were found indicating this very clearly. Very few were burned, most of them having been overcome by after-damp. So far as they could see there was no negligence on the part of officials, but the cause of the explosion could not yet be discovered. There were a number of probable causes such as the finding of a pocket of gas which might have become ignited, the

Some of the Victims.

One of the saddest bereavements caused by Tuesday's explosion is that of Hermann Patterson, whose body was the last to be found. He leaves three motherless little girls to fight the battle of life. These children will be cared for of course, but their fate is a sad one. It is probable that an effort will be made to have them placed in the British Columbia Protestant Orphanage at Victoria. There were also three step-children, a girl who is married and two boys, who are working in the mines, and who therefore are able to take care of themselves.

Mickal Gustav is the fourth member of his family to be taken during the year. Only a few weeks ago his wife died in Austria from the effect of a kick received from a horse. In the

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A rehearsal of the Sunday school
orchestra of the Metropolitan Meth-
odist church was held last evening
preparatory to a concert to be given
at an early date. One of the features
of the forthcoming entertainment will
be a toy symphony in which the
younger members of the congregation
of the church will take part. The pro-
ceeds will go to the fund for the pur-
chase of a new piano.

Four more iron claims have been
located in the San Juan district by

John Bentley, who has been for some
years paying attention to the develop-
ment of iron properties on the West
Coast of the Island. Mr. Bentley says
there is no question as to the mag-
nitude and importance of the iron de-
posits, and with an abundance of coal
and iron at hand, he is of the opinion
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BRIG.-GENERAL BUCHAN DEAD

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IN REIL REBELLION

Was Second in Command of
First Canadian Contingent
in South Africa.

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, Oct. 7.—Brigadier-Gen-
eral Lawrence Buchan, officer com-
manding the Quebec command, with
headquarters here, died at 8 o'clock
this morning of pleuro-pneumonia. He
was born in 1847, and entered the
military at an early age at Toronto.
He served with distinction in the
Northwest rebellion with the Ninth
Rifles. His horse was shot under him
at Fish Creek. He was present at the
surrender of Batache. He was second
in command of the Canadian first con-
tingent in South Africa and was men-
tioned in dispatches connected with
the actions at Driefontein, Johannes-
burg and Paardeberg. He was gae-
ted C. M. G. in 1904.

Brigadier-General Buchan was one
of the best known of Canadian militia
officers, and only the other day vis-
ited Victoria, where he made many
warm friends among the members of
the force. He was a bluff, hearty sol-
dier, ready for any emergency, and
without those arts of the drawing
room which are sometimes found to
be useful for promotion. A few years
ago at a reunion of veterans of the
Fenian raid he delivered one of the
few speeches he ever made in his life,
in Toronto, which was a perfect gem
as a manly, yet tender, tribute to
those who had been "mustered out,"
and tinged with pathos as he talked
of the last camp fire approaching so
rapidly for many of the survivors.
His intrepidity in the northwest cam-
paigns, and his valor in those in
South Africa showed that he was
possessed of those real martial qual-
ities which only lacked opportunity
for adequate expression. Many mil-
lions throughout Canada will sin-
cerely mourn the death of General
Buchan.

FARNUM COMPANY CANCELS ENGAGEMENT

Failed to Make Steamer Con-
nections—Moving Pic-
tures To-night.

Manager Denham of the Victoria
theatre, makes an announcement in
the advertising columns to-day of the
cancellation of the engagement of the
Dunstan Farnum company of players,
who were to have appeared this even-
ing. The company failed to make
steamer connections. This will prove
distinctly disappointing to the theatre-
going public, as the company is said
to be an excellent one.

Manager Denham, in order not to
disappoint those who had intended to
attend the theatre this evening, has
arranged for the exhibition of an ex-
ceptionally fine lot of animated pic-
tures, with illustrated songs.

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TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS FOR CANADIAN NAVY

Fleet of Dozen Warships, Drydocks and Ship-
building Plants Included in General Scheme
to Be Considered by Cabinet.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—The government's
naval defence plans to be submitted
at the coming session of parliament
will, it is stated, involve a total ex-
penditure during the next six or seven
years of about \$20,000,000 with prob-
ably a yearly appropriation of about
\$3,000,000.

The whole scheme is, however, still
to come before the cabinet council for
consideration and details as to the
number, character and disposition of
war vessels to be built, whether for
service on the Atlantic or Pacific, are
still to be worked out.

It is understood the proposals to be
submitted for consideration contem-
plate a fleet of a dozen vessels, includ-
ing cruisers, torpedo boats and de-
stroyers, Drydocks and Canadian
shipbuilding plants capable of building

and repairing the largest class of ves-
sels are part of the general scheme.

The question as to what portion of
the contemplated fleet is destined for
the Pacific coast service has not been
considered in council.

Another Report.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—The Canadian gov-
ernment is to spend \$20,000,000 in
building destroyers and cruisers, ac-
cording to an announcement from
Ottawa. The yearly maintenance of
these vessels will cost in the neigh-
borhood of \$3,000,000.

Three war vessels are to be kept on
the Pacific coast and nine on the At-
lantic.

It is not certain that the ships will
be built in England, as British ship-
building firms have offered to locate in
Canada.

The announcement made to-day was
the result of the Imperial defence con-
ference held recently in London, when
it was decided that Australia should
have local squadrons and that New
Zealand should contribute cash toward
the British coast fleet.

PROSECUTION IN PENTY'S CASE

DEFENCE POSTPONED
FOR ONE WEEK

Detective Clayard's Evidence
Held to Be Non-admissible
by Lawyer

(Special to the Times.)

In the police court this morning the
preliminary hearing of the charge
against John Pentty in connection with
the death of Alex Forfar at the engine
rooms of the Empress hotel was com-
menced. John Pentty is the engineer in
charge of the engine rooms. It will be
remembered while the repairing of one
of the boilers was in progress and
Forfar was inside steam passed into the
boiler, has death resulting four
days later. Mr. Pentty, the chief en-
gineer, is charged with manslaughter
arising out of the finding of the
coroner's jury.

This morning the evidence for the
prosecution was all put in, after which
an adjournment was taken for one
week.

Mr. Pentty was represented by R. T.
Elliott, K. C., while H. W. R. Moore
prosecuted. The theory advanced by the
prosecution for the steam being intro-
duced into the boiler was that a valve
in a tube leading into boiler No. 2
where the accident happened, was not
fully turned off. From the three boilers
tubes lead to a common tank which
connects with the sewer, in blowing
off any of these boilers the steam and
water is allowed to pass into this com-
mon tank. The prosecution contended
that by the valve leading to No. 2 be-
ing not fully shut off, steam from No.
3 while being blown off passed into No.
2 and scalded the unfortunate young
man who was inside boiler No. 2 at
the time. As the engineer in charge
Pentty is held responsible for the ac-
cident.

This morning Dr. G. A. B. Hall, who
attended Forfar, was the first witness
examined. He testified to having been
called to the scene on September 29th.
He described the injuries. The back of
the head, the shoulders and the hips
were the worst hurt. The death, four
days later, was due to the scalding.

Thomas Gray, employed in the Em-
press engine room, testified to having
no knowledge as to these valves. He
was not called upon to deal with
them.

A. Dewansap, in charge of the work
of repairing the boiler when Forfar
was scalded, in his evidence said that
it was not a part of the duty of the
repairing gang to look into the stop
cocks to see if they were shut off.

Pentty, he said, was about the engine-
room and was in charge. He told of
the circumstances connected with the
accident. Forfar was inside holding
the rivets in place. He "got off the
rivet and witness hollered into him
asking what was the matter. Forfar
then crawled up and he helped him
out through the manhole. Witness saw
no steam. He was too busy to look.

Thomas A. McDowell, another of the
repair party, had heard Forfar shout
and saw steam coming out. He had
worked for 30 years on boilers. It was
the chief engineer's duty to see that
the stops be turned off. Repetition
never did that. He could not say how
the steam got into the boiler. "From
my experience," he said, "if the valve
had been closed steam could not have
got in the boiler."

J. H. Newbigging, who was also
working with the repair gang, said the
fireman on shift at the time had said
later that the valve was a little open.

Detective Clayards proved the strong-
est witness for the prosecution. Ob-
jection was at once raised to his giv-
ing the evidence proposed. Detective
Clayards had gone to Pentty on in-
structions the day that Forfar died.
He said he had no instructions to
arrest him but was simply investigat-
ing the circumstances. He went with
Detective O'Leary and informed Pentty
that they were detectives. Repetition
It was argued by Mr. Elliott that the
evidence was not admissible. On the
other hand Mr. Moore quoted au-
thorities to support his contention.
Magistrate Jay thought that as there

was no jury in the case no harm
would be done by taking it.

Mr. Elliott, however, pointed out that
if it went to the higher court this evi-
dence would go to the grand jury.

Magistrate Jay, however, allowed the
evidence to be given.

Detective Clayards said Pentty told
him he was "blowing off" No. 3
boiler when he heard a shout. He had
looked at No. 2 boiler later and found
the valve slightly open and closed it.

He had been under the belief the valve
was closed and could not explain how
it came to be open. The repair men
had refused to go back to work until
some changes were made. Pentty also
said he had not been informed when
the man would be inside the boiler.

Mr. Elliott moved for a dismissal of
the case. There was nothing to show
that accused knew anyone was in the
boiler. In a criminal case this would
have to be shown directly. There was
no evidence to show that the pipes
were insufficient to keep back the
steam or that there was any back
pressure. There was absolutely no
evidence showing knowledge on the
part of accused on any of the points
alleged as a cause of the accident.

The magistrate, however, thought
Pentty must have known work was go-
ing on.

Mr. Elliott then pressed for an ad-
journment until the notes could be
transcribed.

Mr. Moore strongly objected to this
as a very unusual proceeding and as
setting a bad precedent.

Mr. Elliott, however, urged it just as
strongly and the magistrate granted
an adjournment for a week.

TO INCREASE SPANISH ARMY IN MOROCCO

Military Leaders Submit a
Scheme for Placing 150,000
Troops in Field.

Madrid, Oct. 7, via Hendaye.—After
a conference lasting throughout the
night, military leaders to-day pre-
sented for King Alfonso's consideration
a scheme of placing an army of 150,000
men in the field against the Riff tribes-
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on a moment's warning.

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**PROSPERITY IN
THE DOMINION**

SIR T. SHAUGHNESSY
TELLS OF HIS TRIP
Anticipates Substantial Increase of Earnings of C. P. R. Company.

Montreal, Oct. 7.—The annual meeting of the C. P. R. was held yesterday when the annual report was carried without discussion. The lease of the Oxford Mountain railway in the Eastern Township, Quebec, for 999 years, was approved. A new by-law was submitted and approved prohibiting spitting in station buildings or other premises of the company, or passenger trains except in proper receptacles. Another by-law adopted authorizes James Kent, manager of telegraphs, to prepare a list of telegraph tolls, as provided in the amendment to the railway act.

A. G. Neville, of the London stock exchange, moved a vote of thanks to the president and directors, saying that he had been associated with dealings in C. P. R. securities since the inception of the company, and he would assure them there was no company whose shares were dealt in on the stock exchange that had a finer or more honorable record than the C. P. R. The property of the company was of world-wide importance to the investor, because not only did it affect the fortunes of the millionaire, but also of those of the man of ordinary means and the man of ordinary means was represented on the list of the company. He felt that he was expressing the feelings of a good many who would like to be present but for considerations of time and distance, when he said that English shareholders appreciated the services of those men who had brought the company to this great and honorable point, presided over by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, not forgetting the chairman of directors, Sir Wm. Van Horne.

H. W. Birks, also a member of the London stock exchange, seconded the motion in equally warm words of praise, and the motion was carried unanimously.

Replies to Vote of Thanks.
Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, in replying, said: "It is true that the growth of the company during the last ten years has been marvelous. I think equally marvelous changes will be manifest at the end of another ten years. I think the directors can say with confidence that few, if any, mistakes have been made in laying down their lines, and that little of the money that has come from the shareholders and other sources has been wasted. The directors can with equal confidence declare that no such thing as speculation or accumulation for personal or individual benefit has been known in connection with any of the affairs of the company. Everything acquired that might prove of value was acquired for the shareholders, the proceeds to go to them alone, and that I am sure, will be the policy of the company in the future."

Increase Anticipated.
In moving the adoption of the report, the president said: "I beg to submit for your consideration and approval the twenty-eighth annual report of the company. The gross receipts for the year were quite as large as we had reason to expect, but the working expenses were abnormally heavy, due in part, as explained in the annual report to the additional mileage included in the traffic returns, and in a greater measure to other conditions that could not well be controlled. However, with the abundant crops harvested in almost every section of the territory served by your lines, and the certainty of a very large westbound merchandise traffic, there is reason to anticipate a substantial increase in the total earnings for the current year, as well as an improvement in the ratio of working expenses."

In the annual report reference is made to the company's land affairs, but more particularly to the success that has attended the irrigation project in the territory east of Calgary. I am sure that the outcome of this great undertaking is a source of satisfaction to the shareholders as it is to the directors. In this connection you may be interested in knowing that the cash in hand resulting from the sale of land and townships has now reached the considerable sum of \$14,000,000, and that the deferred payments exceed \$18,000,000 in amount.

President's Trip.
Accompanied by several of the directors, I have recently travelled over a considerable portion of the company's lines in Canada and of the subsidiary lines in the United States, and the information that we gathered, not only as to the physical condition of the properties, but as to the progress of settlement and the enlargement of agricultural and business development every description was most gratifying. The area of the wheat growing belt served by your lines in western Canada is steadily increasing, and interior elevators for handling grain are now to be found in districts where a few years ago the best informed never expected to see the grain produced. The valleys of the Columbia and Kootenay rivers, and the lands tributary to the Okanagan and other lakes in British Columbia are rapidly being converted into orchards.

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**THREE KILLED IN
RAILWAY WRECK**

Passenger and Freight Trains
Collide on the Inter-colonial.

Campbellton, N. B., Oct. 7.—Three dead and one probably fatally injured was the result of a head-on collision on the Inter-colonial at Nashes creek, thirty miles west of here. The maritime express, westbound, and a special freight, eastbound, crashed together on a curve. Both engines were demolished. The crews had no time to escape.
The dead are: John Morton, Campbellton, engineer of the Maritime express; S. J. Whelan, Moncton, N. B., engineer of the freight; W. Morrison, Sussex, N. B., express messenger. All were instantly killed.
W. Cook, Campbellton, fireman, had his foot amputated and was badly scalded, and is not expected to recover. The mail clerks and brakemen were badly shaken up. The passengers in the express escaped uninjured.
All the dead were married and leave families.

**TAFT WILL NOT SEND
BATTLESHIPS TO PACIFIC**

No Necessity for Presence of Fleet Under Present Conditions.

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—Two points in President Taft's address here are the subjects of much conversation in business circles, his endorsement of a ship subsidy bill and his plain insinuation that the Pacific Coast need not expect a battleship fleet in the Pacific from his administration under present conditions.

The president talked at length upon the merchant marine, and suggested that a mail line subsidy to be supported with the \$5,000,000 or \$10,000,000 this country makes yearly on foreign mail, should be tried and later, if proved satisfactory, further subsidies should be provided. After outlining his plan, he said: "Let's try it and see how it works out."

Regarding a battleship fleet for the Pacific coast, Mr. Taft said: "If you guarantee that all the attacks are coming from this side, the government will send you the entire fleet."

He said he believed that the opening of the Panama canal would double the efficiency of the present navy by making the sailing distance so much shorter between Atlantic and Pacific ports. He said that he was sure that the Panama canal would be opened by January 1st, 1915, and added: "I am hoping, oh so fervently, that it will be considerable time before that."

**FLYING MACHINE
TRUST PROPOSED**

The Wrights Will Hold Controlling Interest in America.

New York, Oct. 7.—The Wrights are contemplating the formation of an international flying machine trust, according to an announcement made here, and it is said that the time is not far distant when one will be able to engage a flying machine much as they now hire a taxicab.

Charles A. Flint, formerly head of the rubber trust, will be the business head of the concern, according to the report, and he has already established factories in St. Petersburg, Berlin and Paris for making and marketing the Wright flying machine. Flint is expected to arrive about October 15th, when he will probably incorporate and erect a big plant in this country.
It is said that the Wrights will hold a controlling interest in the American

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**RACE TRACK BETTING
STRONGLY DENOUNCED**

Rev. Dr. Shearer Speaks at the Maritime Presbyterian Synod.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 7.—At the meeting of the Maritime Presbyterian synod yesterday, the report of social and moral reform took up much time. The report from Halifax in this connection says that bridge is a "craze and a curse." Corruption in elections in general was declared to show a material decrease.
Dr. W. N. Smith, of Fredericton, presented the report, and in speaking of it spoke strongly against immoral postcards, books and pictures. He dealt with tuberculosis and said it should be combated by the church.
Rev. Dr. J. G. Shearer, speaking of race track betting, said Canada was in

the position where she receives and protects the professional gamblers from the United States and the thugs and thieves who follow them. Petitions dealing with this question would be sent from the speaker's office in a few days for circulation among the electors. The social and moral reform council was also pressing against social vice. Speaking of the white slave traffic, Dr. Shearer said that it was believed 60,000 girls were lost in the United States and Canada this year. In the Kootenay one of the girls rescued from that life was the daughter of a minister.
Recommendations of the synod to the Dominion government were read. The first, dealing with race track gambling, and the second in regard to social vice, were adopted.

HEBREW SCHOLAR DEAD.

New York, Oct. 7.—Felix Vadaver, considered one of the world's foremost Hebrew scholars, is dead here at his home. He was 66 years of age. Vadaver was prominently known for his commentaries on the Bible and his poems.
A goose has been known to live 30 years, a swan 100, a sparrow 40, a hen 10, and a cat 20 years.

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San Jose—F. L. Crago.

IDEAL SETTLERS.

It would appear that the C. P. R. will have to proceed with land clearing on this island very expeditiously if they hope to have sufficient areas available for all who wish to secure homesteads here.

It is but a few days since we told in our news columns of the desire of the Salvation Army to plant a large colony of middle class people on our attractive lands. To-day it is a party of British military men of ample means who wish to come among us and who are seeking the same desirable location for a home.

Both colonies are British, and to neither do the fertile, but exposed plains appear to be becoming more and more apparent that we have in this particular section of British Columbia those conditions which make our lands supplementary, as a field for settlement, to those of the Middle West and that the advantage which we possess overshadow with a certain type of settler, the compelling attraction of cheap and spacious lands.

BRITISH POLITICS.

The news from Britain indicates that political feeling which has been running so high for some time in the United Kingdom has produced a state of tension where His Majesty himself finds it advisable to intervene. Since the days of the Corn Laws there has not been such widespread agitation because of proposed legislation. To Canadians this seems rather odd because the Budget proposals, while drastic, are in a general way framed on

principles which are to a degree at least accepted and enforced in the taxation of the newer British lands.

There has not in recent years been a cabinet of such clever men as that comprising the Asquith administration. There has probably never been a cabinet of ministers whose average ages were so low. Not since the days of Gladstone has there been a chancellor of the type of Lloyd-George, who, in zeal for his favorite theories, approaches almost to fanaticism. He is not unlike Gladstone, too, in his capacity to sweep the masses with him in a whirlwind of enthusiasm. He and Sir Edward Grey, occupy two extreme poles of training and thought, yet Mr. Lloyd-George seems to have absolutely imposed his opinions upon men of the aristocratic training and temperaments of both the foreign and colonial secretaries.

The intervention of the King indicates plainly that a crisis has almost been reached in so far as the probable action of the Lords is concerned. Fortunately indeed is the Old Land in having on the Throne a monarch so wise and so diplomatic, and at the same time enjoying so entirely the confidence of all parties and classes that the outcome of the negotiations in question are almost certain to make for conciliation and compromise.

Whatever the House of Lords may do with the budget, it is generally expected that a general election will take place before very long. If the Lords refuse to pass the bill at all, or offer amendments on which they demand that the country be consulted, the election is likely to be held this winter. In any case it is interesting to consider certain figures compiled by the London Post bearing on the election of 1906 and on by-elections since. To begin with, these reveal some striking inequalities in the ratio of votes to representation. Excluding Ireland, the following table shows the votes cast for 566 elected members of Parliament:

	Votes.	Members.
Unionist.....	2,385,318	139
Liberal.....	2,660,166	373
Labor and Socialist.....	524,751	54
	5,489,665	566

It will be seen that the average of votes to each member elected was a little less than 10,000, and that the Labor and Socialist members had about this average. The Liberals, on the contrary, received an average of only 6,900 votes, while the Unionists had one of over 17,000. While the aggregate number of votes received by the Liberals was less than 19 per cent. larger than the number received by the Unionists, the number of seats secured was two and one-half times as large. This was due obviously to the smaller average majorities by which the Liberals carried their constituencies. There were, indeed, some 145 seats held by a majority of less than 1,000, and of these eighty-two were held by a majority of less than 500. Since the general election there have been fifty-nine by-elections in which the Unionists' vote has increased 23,073 and that of the Liberals has decreased 23,118, a net change of 63,191 votes, giving the Unionists eleven more members.

We feel no apology is due for the large space we give to-day to the speech of Mr. Balfour at Birmingham. It is the last of a quintette of remarkable deliverances by the foremost politicians in the Old Land, each of which we have reproduced verbatim. These addresses—Lloyd-George at Limehouse, Rosebery at Glasgow, Winston Churchill at Leicester, Mr. Asquith at Manchester, and now Mr. Balfour at Birmingham, furnish a complete glossary on the Budget. Without having read them no one can have a clear idea of the issues which are bulking so large in British public life to-day, and as these are likely to mark an epoch in the affairs of the Motherland, and perhaps of the Empire we have deemed it wise to give unusual space to them.

A subscriber suggests that the Women's Canadian Club in this city should invite Miss Cameron to be its guest. We have no doubt that if the officers fail to do so it will be for reasons similar to those which have prevented the parent club from extending several invitations, and not because of lack of appreciation of the distinct place Miss Cameron has won for herself by her travels and lectures. In honoring her, the club would honor itself.

The New York Journal of Commerce thinks it was perhaps fortunate for the fame of the late Governor Johnson that he never essayed a career in larger spheres which his limited education and training would have prevented him from filling adequately. This scarcely seems to come with force in a land which has produced, under similar disabilities, a Lincoln.

In another column will be found an announcement by Gillespie & Hart of interest to the business community. At their premises on Langley street, where the firm recently started business, they are handling fire insurance in all its branches.

FIRES RAGING IN NORTHEAST ALBERTA

Several Persons Reported to Have Lost Their Lives.

(Special to the Times.)
Calgary, Oct. 7.—The fire that is at present raging in Northeast Alberta is assuming alarming proportions. Already one life is lost. Mr. Yageron, a Syde, lost his life through devotion to duty in fighting the flames. His niece, Mary Segetstad, is at present lying in the Columbia hospital here suffering from injuries sustained in the fire. Other lives are reported to have been lost, but no details are at present available.

Welcome Rain.
Wainwright, Alta., Oct. 7.—A heavy downpour of rain last night has quenched all the prairie fires in this district.

WILL CROOKS IN VICTORIA

(Continued from page 1.)

the crying need for legislation which will go some way to relieve the awful social conditions which condemn so large a proportion to poverty and starvation.

Mr. Crooks was asked what line of action the labor party pursued in Parliament.

"We are perfectly free and independent," he replied, "and our attitude is well known and thoroughly respected by both parties. While we may be generally supposed to be friendly to the Liberal party I may say we have never received a whip from the party. We might be asked by the leaders on one side or other if we were not going to support them on this question of that, but our line of action has been strictly independent and has been decided on after meeting in caucus."

Industrial conditions in the Old Land, Mr. Crooks describes as considerably improved, although, of course, a vast amount of amelioration is yet necessary. In the last few years much legislation has been enacted of a beneficial nature and the success of this in making it easier to secure the passage of further acts.

Mrs. Crooks is a pleasant, motherly woman, keenly interested in all social questions and talking simply and unaffectedly of the many lines of work in which she is engaged. For in addition to the duties of her own household she is a leading spirit in several organizations working among the women and children of London's crowded streets and alleys, helping them and teaching them self-help. The needy of Poplar, where the Crooks continue to live in spite of the tense strain on sympathetic souls from hourly sight of the misery in one of the most poverty-stricken parts of the metropolis, look to Mr. and Mrs. Crooks for sympathy and aid.

This morning and this afternoon local labor leaders took Mr. and Mrs. Crooks for a trip about the city and environs in an automobile kindly placed at their disposal by R. P. Clark, of the Plimley Auto Company.

Current Comment

SOBBING FOR THEIR NOBLE FRIENDS.

(London Advertiser.)
The Toronto News, Toronto Mail, Hamilton Spectator, London Free Press, and the other Yellowplushes of the Canadian press, are mingling their tears with those of the British dukes.

HERE'S PROOF.

(Toronto News.)
As neither of the explorers says anything about having seen Santa Claus at work there, there are few of the young folks, at any rate, who will believe they discovered the Pole.

A BIGGER STRICK IN AFRICA.

(Providence Journal.)
Twenty-five thousand dollars is the price asked for the privilege of printing the first narrative of Dr. Cook's discovery of the Pole. By comparison with the dollar-a-word rate for East African adventures, this seems like mere hack hire.

BUT THEY'RE ELEVATED SOMETIMES.

(Punch.)

"The male sex, as a whole, shows far less independence about clothing itself than the female," says The Lady. "Even in the matter of color men bow slavishly to the fashion." Black men, for instance, are rather out of fashion just now.

THE TICKLYKNEE.

The ticklyknee has another name. But that isn't part of the bedtime game. It is loud and fat, ah me. As a butterfly, is the ticklyknee.

You wait till the fellow that has it on is just as sleepy he's almost gone. And then with the tip of your finger you

Around its top with a buzzing low. Maybe the fellow will laugh right out. And sit right up on your lap with a shout. Or maybe he'll giggle and yawn and say: "I deem I'm too sleepy to-night to play."

So, then, with a hand on his curly head. You kneel little ticklyknee down by the bed.

And all grows silent except a prayer That the lips of a childheart whisper there.

—Baltimore Sun.

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GRAND JURY ON FIRE DANGER

PUBLIC BUILDINGS SHOULD BE FIREPROOF

Attention Drawn to French's Menagerie on Account of Escaped Lion.

The necessity for better protection from fire in buildings where large numbers of people are assembled, and a reference to French's menagerie, were the features of the presentation of the grand jury made to Mr. Justice Irving this morning. The grand jurors are of opinion that all public buildings should be, as far as possible, made absolutely fireproof.

In regard to the menagerie, the jurors considered that it should be periodically inspected by the proper authorities, but they declined to take any action which might be an interference with Mr. French's rights.

The presentation was as follows:
Hon. Mr. Justice Irving.

Sir.—We, the grand jury, congratulate your lordship on the few cases for trial at this assize. That there is only one case originating in the city of Victoria we consider speaks volumes for the orderly conduct prevailing in this community.

We visited the Old Men's Home and beg to record our opinion that better facilities for fire protection should be afforded. In consequence of the enfeebled physical condition of the inmates, we recommend that this matter receive immediate attention.

Our visit to the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital was without warning, and we are pleased to find everything possible being done for the comfort and welfare of the patients, those of whom we made enquiries expressing themselves as perfectly satisfied with the treatment they are receiving. We were glad to find, since the last visit of the grand jury, that the Strathcona and female wards have been painted, and we hope the management will soon be in a position to continue the work of painting the premises, both inside and out. We were informed that the necessary funds are available. We found a number of cases standing in one of the corridors containing one of the latest and most efficient X-ray apparatus procurable in England. The apparatus arrived some months ago, but has not yet been set up in consequence of there being no suitable room available, provision for which is due to shortage of funds. The construction of a building for tuberculous patients is delayed for the same reason.

We were very satisfied with affairs at the provincial jail, excepting the approach, where the steps require renewal.

The police station calls for no comment further than our satisfaction with everything we inspected.

With reference to fire protection generally, we consider that in future all public buildings, such as schools, jails, hospitals, theatres, hotels and other places where people are assembled, such buildings being of more than two stories, should as near as possible be made absolutely fire proof.

We desire also to call attention to a menagerie in the neighborhood of Swan Lake, which, we are informed, is a menace to the safety of the neighbouring community. We recommend periodical inspection by the proper authorities.

Respectfully submitted,
SIMON LEISER.

"With reference to the menagerie in the neighborhood," said his lordship, "if the grand jury means that it is a nuisance and you wish the thing treated as such, why it can be done at once. If, on the other hand, you are not prepared to go to that extent, I do not know what I can do. I suppose a man has a right, if he likes, to keep all sort of animals locked up, only being responsible in case of their escape, but if you wish it treated as a nuisance I will give him notice and have the place closed down."

Foreman Leser explained that the reason the jury made this recommendation was that one of the animals was at present at large.

At the suggestion of his lordship the jury retired to consider whether they would present the menagerie as a nuisance or not, and on their return the foreman stated that they did not want to interfere with the rights of any citizen, but the public must be safeguarded. They would not declare the place a nuisance, but desired to call the attention of the government to it.

His lordship thanked the jurors for their services and promised to forward their recommendations to the proper authorities.

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FANS PICK PIRATES TO WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

Advance Sale of Seats for Baseball Game Breaks All Records.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Pittsburg, Oct. 7.—The champion Detroit Tigers arrived here to-day and are in fine fettle for the first game of the world's championship series with the Pittsburg Pirates, which starts to-morrow at Forbes field. The national commission also is here and will inspect the field this afternoon.

The advance sale of seats has been the greatest in the history of the national game. Eighteen thousand reserved seats have been sold for each of the games scheduled for Friday and Saturday. When the umpires call the teams to action it is predicted that no less than 35,000 spectators will be in attendance at each game.

Betting is brisk on the outcome of the series, the Pirates being 2 to 1 and 3 to 5 favorites. At least \$200,000 has been wagered at these odds.

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22-lb. paper bag	\$1

WHEAT FLAKES, 4 lbs. for	25¢
CANADIAN OR CARNATION WHEAT FLAKES, per packet	35¢
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MAGIC BAKING POWDER, 12-oz. can	20¢
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FOUR RUNNERS READY FOR RACE

Baylis Says He Will Win, and Stanley Says He'll Be Near by.

William Stanley, the San Francisco runner who has been running since Denmark, says he is going to win the ten-mile race at the exhibition building to-morrow night, or if he does not win there are two in the race who will be behind him.

Stanley has been running some time and won races in California. He has also gone the Marathon distance and was second in the Los Angeles to Venice race. He also claims the walking record from San Francisco to Los Angeles. "The man who beats me will have to run the distance in fifty-five minutes," he says.

Arthur Burn, of Calgary, has not been around to say where he will be at the finish, but it is understood he is confident of being first round the final lap. Burn ran formerly at Calgary, where he won and afterwards figured in amateur long distance races on the coast with some success. He was recently professionalized by the B. C. A. A. U.

Alexander Rowan hails from the Coal city on the island. He has run around the island, down it and across it, or at least round and up and down and across some of it. He has also run the Marathon and shorter distance races, getting second to Marshall and winning here in fifteen miles on Labor day. He also ran in a relay of six miles against Accose, and Stanley, who took the other six miles made the distance two minutes quicker than Rowan. Rowan hasn't said where he expects to finish but the islander won't be anywhere but round about the front.

The big drawing card of the race is Frank Baylis, the Victoria lad, who breaks into the game as a professional for the first time. Baylis says emphatically he is going to win. Of the distance he says he is not used to the ten miles as he has always run five miles previously. He, however, thinks he can do the ten miles safely and faster than any of the competitors.

Special traffic arrangements have been made for the event. A ten-minute service from the city to the exhibition ground has been arranged. The lighting arrangements have been completed, and the track, which it is found will go two laps to the mile, is being prepared to-day.

The race will commence at 8:15 o'clock and will be finished shortly after 9.

ATHLETICS. MARSH-WADA RACE.

John D. Marsh and Wada, the Japanese masher from the north, run a twenty-mile race at Vancouver horse show ring to-night.

Wada has figured in two fifty-mile contests in the north. Marsh yesterday ran the last quarter mile of ten miles in 1:02.

NANAIMO SOCCER TEAM ORGANIZED

Practice Game to Try Out Material in Coal City.

The Nanaimo United Football Club has been reorganized for the season and all supporters of the team look for a successful season.

The meeting for reorganization was held Tuesday night and was fairly well attended, those present being enthusiastic in the work of reorganization. Although officers were not elected, a committee of three, J. Smith, W. Hart and R. Yates were appointed to solicit subscriptions to fix up the grounds and get matters in shape for the opening of the season. This committee will also select two teams for a practice game in which all the first class football material in the town will be tried out and from the best the Nanaimo United team will be selected.

SALT LAKE MEETING IS VERY POPULAR ONE

Vancouver Track Closes Down on Saturday of This Week.

Word has been received from P. G. Hammill at Salt Lake that the meeting which opened there at the Beuna Vista Park track on September 18th, is a complete success and the horses are running well to form.

He says Salt Lake will come close to rivaling the late Victoria meeting in popularity and that after Vancouver it is pleasant to get to a well-directed and well-run meeting again.

The Vancouver meeting closes Saturday and is probably the most sensational meeting ever held in British Columbia. The Vancouver Thoroughbred Association has arranged to complete a number of improvements that were contemplated at the beginning of the season and to be in readiness for another meeting next year.

THE RING. JEFFRIES TALKS.

London, Oct. 7.—James J. Jeffries, who has arrived here from Paris, does not anticipate any developments in his prospective fight with Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship of the world during his stay in London. He is of the opinion that the meeting will occur in San Francisco, and he said to-day:

"If Johnson is half as ready as I am for the fight it won't be long after my return to America before we are at it."

The population of the British Empire comprises about 22 per cent. of the entire population of the world.

TOMMY BURNS TO BOX FIFTY ONE YEAR OLD

McLagan Still on Deck and Gets Matches in Australia.

Writing under date of August 31st to the San Francisco Chronicle, Bede Carroll sends the following regarding Tommy Burns, who appears to have a fight on hand with a fifty-one-year-old champion. The writer also sends news of McLagan who was a familiar figure in Victoria a year ago. He writes:

Tommy Burns is now on a short visit to New Zealand. He went over under a month's contract to appear in the show business. Shortly after his arrival Tommy had the bad luck to sprain his ankle—a member, which went under him in his fight with Johnson. It looked so bad that the champion was about to pack up and return to Sydney, but was persuaded to try the hot springs at Maoriand, and the ankle made such good improvement that he resumed his tour on August 28th. He is expected back in Sydney three weeks hence.

Tommy's visit to Maoriand has been responsible for bringing from his retirement Tom Lees, an Australian heavyweight champion of over twenty years ago and who is now a veteran of 51 years. Shortly after Tommy's arrival, Lees lodged \$1,000 as a stake to fight Burns "just to see whether the champions of to-day are as good as those of yore," as the veteran put it. Tommy Burns accepted the challenge and offered to box the veteran four or six rounds, "just to show the public what a good boxer Mr. Lees was." Tommy also guaranteed "not to knock Lees out under any consideration," which brought forth the following reply from the ancient one: "I appreciate Mr. Burns' kindness in promising not to knock me out. I have never been knocked out in my life. I want Tommy to put all his puffs in our first six, as I am a bit of a glutton and can go six rounds without any trouble. I never felt better, but have been a lot younger, having just turned 51, but I cannot help being old." Latest advice state that the fight is sure to eventuate.

Larry Foley's heavy-weight find, McLagan, who made such a good showing and won his first fight, had his onward career checked at the Sydney Gaity on August 24th. He essayed the task of conquering Joe Costa (116) one of the cleverest fighters in Australia. The fight went the full twenty rounds and Costa got the verdict on points. McLagan (158), although defeated, was by no means disgraced. Costa was too old a hand at the game for McLagan to take on so early in his career, and those behind him showed bad judgment in making the match. McLagan, notwithstanding his being a novice, had the better of nine rounds, but Costa was too clever for him. McLagan has championship material in him all right. He is the most promising heavy-weight we have unearthed for many a day.

A good many members of the club are planning to take the trip to Vancouver to witness the boxing.

Glaciers are generally masses of consolidated snow, which by their own weight move slowly down the mountains where they have been accumulated. Their pace is seldom more than one inch per hour. The Alpine glaciers give birth to the five great rivers of Central Europe—the Rhine, Rhone, Po, Inn and Adige.

GETTING READY FOR THE RUGBY MEET

Post Entries Will Be Received for Saturday's Events.

The field meet, to be held on Saturday afternoon at the Royal Athletic park under the auspices of the Victoria Rugby union, is now shaping up in fine style and it is expected that this event will be a most successful one.

This is the first to be held since any football union in this city and if it proves successful other clubs will likely hold similar programmes next year.

The entries for the various events are not coming in very fast but Secretary John Arbuckle announced that post entries will be taken on the grounds the day of the meet.

Another race has been added to the programme, namely, a relay race open to Rugby players. Four gold medals have been donated by Messrs. A. T. Goward and W. H. Wilkerson. In all the other races some of the fastest local athletes will be seen at their respective distances and keen competitions will be witnessed as a result.

The silverware, which is to be given to the winners in the various events is now on exhibition in a number of the Government street stores.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

NATIONAL.
Philadelphia, Oct. 6.—Scores were as follows:

First Game.	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	1 4 2
Boston	3 7 2
Batteries—McQuillen and Dooin; Brown and Raridon.	
Second Game.	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	7 12 5
Boston	1 0 3
Batteries—Foxen and Dooin; Evans and Raridon.	

Brooklyn, Oct. 6.—Scores were as follows:

First Game.	R. H. E.
New York	1 4 2
Brooklyn	4 7 2
Batteries—Klawitter and Wilson; Scanlon and Marshall.	
Second Game.	R. H. E.
New York	8 12 3
Brooklyn	4 7 2
Batteries—Drucke and Schlei; Fletcher and Dunn.	

St. Louis, Oct. 6.—Scores were as follows:

First Game.	R. H. E.
St. Louis	0 6 0
Chicago	8 12 0
Batteries—Higgins and Bliss; Cole and Moran.	
Second Game.	R. H. E.
St. Louis	5 11 1
Chicago	5 11 1
Batteries—Beche, Miller and Bliss; Schwenk, Reubach and Moran.	

SEATTLE BOXERS TO VISIT VANCOUVER

Will Compete at First Inter-club Smoker of Season.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 7.—Boxing instructor Austin, of the Seattle Athletic Club, has named his four mitt artists that will be sent against the Vancouver boxers at a smoker to be given by the Canadian Club October 12th. This is the first inter-club smoker of the winter season and Seattle hopes to bring back four medals in the glove division.

In the 111 pound class Austin has named W. Dyer, a hard working lad, who is getting better right along and who is equipped with his share of cleverness. Cliff Dyer, his brother, is named in the 125 pound class. Pete McVeigh will be sent after the 135 pound honors. In the 145 pound class, Austin picks Jack Novak.

A good many members of the club are planning to take the trip to Vancouver to witness the boxing.

Glaciers are generally masses of consolidated snow, which by their own weight move slowly down the mountains where they have been accumulated. Their pace is seldom more than one inch per hour. The Alpine glaciers give birth to the five great rivers of Central Europe—the Rhine, Rhone, Po, Inn and Adige.

YESTERDAY'S RACES AT MINORU PARK

Vancouver, Oct. 7.—Yesterday's results at Minoru Park were as follows:

First race, five and a half furlongs—Wamboro won; Hilbert, 2nd; Incentive, 3rd. Time, 1:14.
Second race, six furlongs—Severus won; Medora, 2nd; Servience, 3rd. Time, 1:18 3/5.
Third race, six furlongs—Liddington won; Lovely Mary, 2nd; Blue Heron, 3rd. Time, 1:20 3/5.
Fourth race, one mile—Altamor won; Dorothy Ledgett, 2nd; Edwin T. Fryer, 3rd. Time, 1:40 3/5.
Fifth race, seven furlongs—Captain Burnett won; Balnade, 2nd; J. C. Clem, 3rd. Time, 1:35 4/5.
Sixth race, five furlongs—Binocular won; Electrowan, 2nd; Balronia, 3rd. Time, 1:05 1/5.
Seventh race, five furlongs—Auburndale won; Lady's Beauty, 2nd; Taunt, 3rd. Time, 1:07 2/5.

BALLOON RACE.

James Gordon Bennett Cup Captured by Columbus, Ohio, Balloonist.

Zurich, Oct. 7.—In the international balloon races the America III, piloted by Edward Mix, of Columbus, Ohio, is the winner of the James Gordon Bennett Cup. The French balloon, "The Isle of France," got second place. A message was received from Mix this afternoon in which he stated that he landed at 3 o'clock yesterday in the forest Gutova, which is near Miawa, Russian Poland, north of Warsaw, and but a short distance from the frontier of Germany. As a bird flies, he covered 700 miles before descending. The race started on October 3rd from this city at the time a strong southwest wind was blowing, which bore the 17 big gas bags with their passengers towards the Russian boundaries.

Mix, who was the only representative from the United States, stated before he climbed into the basket that

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E. JACOBS RETURNS FROM THE INTERIOR

He Tells of Interesting Gatherings Held Among Mining Men.

E. Jacobs returned to the city yesterday after an absence of a fortnight, during which he attended the sixth general meeting of the Western Branch of the Canadian Mining Institute (of which he is secretary), held at Nelson on September 25th, and the autumn meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, held at Spokane, Wash., on 27th to 29th.

Thomas Kiddie, chairman of the Western Branch of the C. M. I., presided at its meeting at Nelson, and read a paper he had prepared on "Causes of Variations in Ore Sampling." An interesting discussion followed. Mr. Fleet Robertson, A. C. Garde, E. W. Widdowson, A. H. Gracey and several others taking part.

Among other matters submitted to the meeting was a summary review of the progress of mining and smelting in British Columbia, during the expired months of the current calendar year. It was decided to hold the next general meeting of the branch in Vancouver, about the middle of January next.

R. W. Brock, director of the Geological Survey of Canada, and two other members of the survey staff, O. E. LeRoy and W. H. Baird, who are respectively engaged in geological and topographical work in Stickeen district, were in Nelson to attend the meeting, but Messrs. Brock and Boyd were called away in connection with arrangements for the visit of His Excellency the

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ally received and his visit was made the occasion for the elaborate decoration of the city, with splendid effect both in the daytime and at night. The visiting mining engineers and their friends were accommodated with reserved seats on the big stand erected in connection with the official reception of President Taft, and so had the benefit of hearing his very important speech on the conservation of the natural resources of the United States.

The A. I. M. E. held three sessions on Tuesday, and Wednesday, September 28th and 29th. These were presided over by D. W. Brunton, of Denver, Colo., president of the council of the institute. At the first of these a cordial welcome was extended to the visitors on behalf of the city of Spokane, and suitable replies were made to the eloquent welcome speech made by a prominent city official.

Two sessions were held on Tuesday. On Wednesday morning a joint session of the A. I. M. E. and the Western Branch of the Canadian Mining Institute, was held, and at this the chairman and secretary of the latter sat with the president of the A. I. M. E. on the dais. The proceedings included the reading of papers by Edward W. Parker, of the U. S. Geological Survey, on "How May We Conserve Our Coal Supplies?" E. Jacobs, on "Coal Mining in the Coal Resources of Southeastern British Columbia and Alberta," and W. D. L. Hardie, manager of the collieries of the Alberta R. & I. Co., Lethbridge, Alberta, on "The Galt Coalfield." A long and interesting discussion ensued, during which numerous questions were asked by eastern engineers, who expressed surprise at the extent of the coal-bearing areas and the immense tonnage of coal estimated to be available. Mr. W. F. Robertson and other British Columbia men replied to these inquiries. The eastern men were also much impressed by the

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M. E. in joint session, and he, as chairman of the western branch assured their A. I. M. E. friends that the courtesy thus shown was greatly appreciated by the members of the C. M. I. who had been privileged to take part in the meetings.

Among those from British Columbia who were at the banquet were Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Robertson and their son Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Keffer, Greenwood; Ernest Levy, manager of Le Roi No. 2 Ltd.; A. G. Larson, superintendent of the Le Roi, and M. E. Purcell, superintendent of the Centre Star group, both of Rossland; and Mr. and Mrs. Newton W. Emmens, of Trout Lake City; Geo. L. McKenzie, formerly of Van And, Texada island, and now of Tucson, Arizona, was also among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Keffer, Mr. Purcell, Mr. Jacobs and Mrs. Jules Labarthe, of Trail; Mr. W. H. Trewartha-James and Mr. F. W. Bryant, of Victoria, were in the A. I. M. E. party in Seattle, which city was reached on Thursday night, and where the visitors were also freely entertained by the management of the A. I. M. E. exposition and other prominent residents.

BRITISH BUDGET PASSES COMMITTEE

Attention is Now Turned to Conference Between the King and Premier.

London, Oct. 7.—While the House of Commons in concluding the committee stage of the budget, the King, assisted by unofficial advisers, is actively intervening to prevent the crisis which the government's financial proposals "threaten to precipitate." The House has accomplished its task, so far as consideration of the bill is concerned, the last clause passing in committee after a late sitting last night. The fight, so far as parliament is involved, is adjourned until November 15th, when the measure comes up for report.

What the outcome of the King's intervention will be few are willing to prophesy. The general public, who have the greatest confidence in the King's diplomacy, are awaiting the return of Premier Asquith from Balmoral Castle. The Premier spent the day at His Majesty's

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Chinese getting baggage together from express wagons on way to Orient yesterday.

MEN'S SOCIAL CLUB.

Enjoyable Evening Spent at First Congregational Church.

Last Tuesday evening the "Men's Own" Social Club of the First Congregational church celebrated the reopening of its winter season with a concert and banquet. Representatives from the various

Scottish sect, where there have been long and earnest consultations directly between the King and the Premier, and between the latter and Lord James Bessborough, who has always taken a somewhat detached view of party strife.

It is rather a delicate matter for the King to intervene in domestic affairs, and as a matter of fact, this is the first time he has openly done so. He has preceded for this, however, Queen Victoria having intervened twice on the Irish church bill in 1885, and on the Reform bill in 1886, when she successfully acted as conciliator. The present issue is more serious, but the public are confident that the King's statesmanship will be no less successful than that of his mother. During his absence, Premier Asquith has been in touch by private wire with the members of his cabinet in London.

The adjournment of the House, which Chancellor Lloyd-George announced, will enable the cabinet to consider the King's suggestions without discussion.

WRIGHT FINED.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 7.—Arthur G. Wright, who was arrested on Saturday and thought to have had evil designs against President Taft and who was carrying a revolver at the time, was fined \$25 and costs yesterday in the municipal court. He pleaded guilty and paid the fine. No state charges will be placed against him. The word received from his home at Lowell, Mass., indicates that he has a good reputation and no wrong is thought to have been in his mind.

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CAMPAIGN TO FREE STREET ORATORS

Volunteers Arrive at Missoula to Take Place of Those Arrested.

Missoula, Mont., Oct. 7.—Trouble is feared here as the result of the campaign undertaken by Miss Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, an organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World, to free twenty-five members of the order who were arrested while conducting a demonstration in the streets of the city on Tuesday evening. Miss Flynn herself was recently liberated from the county jail after a similar demonstration, led a mob of more than 2,400 persons into the jail yard. A show of strength by the authorities prevented any actual forceful demonstration, but rabid speeches were made by the members of the mob from the steps of the prison. Meetings are held on the streets nightly by the agitators, who

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legislation at the coming session of congress. Experts say that it will be impossible to complete all details and plans for the institution during the life of the present congress, which expires in March, 1911.

ELECTRIC GUN IS

MENACE OF FUTURE

L. Nixon Does Not Believe Aeroplane Will Become Instrument of Destruction.

New York, Oct. 7.—Nixon, one of America's foremost ship constructors, does not believe that the aeroplane will ever become a factor in modern warfare. He is convinced that an air craft offers no advantage to the warships. He believes that the time is not far when an electric tube will be invented which will fire a thunderbolt that will shock to death every man that happens to be in its path. He said, "this is the direct menace of the future" and declares that the gun is sure to come when electricity becomes better perfected than it is at the present time. In Nixon's opinion the aeroplane may be so perfected until it finally becomes practical for the purpose of observation, but he does not believe that it will ever become an instrument of destruction.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, 28th September to 5th October, 1909. Victoria—Bright sunshine, 26 hours 18 minutes; highest temperature, 63.6 on 2nd; lowest, 40 on 2nd; rain, 1.7. New Westminster—Highest, 62 on 2nd and 3rd; lowest, 40 on 2nd and 3rd; rain, 1.41 inches. Vancouver—Bright sunshine, 10 hours 12 minutes; highest, 62 on 2nd; lowest, 41 on 2nd; rain, 2.55 inches. Kamloops—Highest, 62 on 4th; lowest, 40 on 3rd; rain, 56 inches. Barkerville—Highest, 54 on 3rd and 5th; lowest, 30 on 3rd; rain, 1.56 inches. Port Simpson (returns incomplete)—Highest, 54 on 29th, 30th and 31st; lowest, 38 on 29th and 31st; rain, 2.00 inches. Atlin (returns incomplete)—Highest, 48 on 29th; lowest, 30 on 29th and 31st; precipitation, 30 inch. Dawson (returns incomplete)—Highest, 38 on 30th and 1st; lowest, 16 on 29th; precipitation, 30 inch.

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Civic Notice

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to execute the following works of local improvement.

1. To grade, tar macadamize and drain Craigflower road from Arm street to Russell street.
2. To grade, tar macadamize and drain Russell street from Skinner street to Langford street.
3. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the west side of Douglas street from Gurbally road to Francis avenue.
4. To grade and tar macadamize Quadra street between Blanchard avenue and Hillside avenue, and to construct permanent sidewalks on the east side of Quadra street from Pandora avenue to Hillside avenue, and on the west side of Quadra street from Caledonia avenue to Hillside avenue.

To construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side of Michigan street from Beacon Hill park to Government street, and to construct curbs and gutters on the south side of said street, from Government street to Menzies street, and on the north side from Beacon Hill park to Menzies street.

To construct boulevards by properly filling with soil, seeding and planting on both sides of Government street from Michigan street to Toronto street (including maintenance).

To construct a boulevard on the south side of Belleville street from Menzies street to St. John street (including maintenance) by filling in with black loam, seeding and planting.

And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor, having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-Law upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor, as aforesaid, having been adopted by the Council.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvements and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property is presented to the Council within fifteen days from date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvements under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvements as the Council may by-law, in that behalf, regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. BOWLER.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 28th, 1909.

CIVIC NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to grade, drain and tar macadamize Pandora avenue, between Blanchard street and Quadra street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said avenue, also boulevards including black loam, seeding and planting on both sides of said street, from Pandora avenue to Hillside avenue, and to construct boulevards by properly filling with soil, seeding and planting on both sides of Government street from Michigan street to Toronto street (including maintenance).

To construct a boulevard on the south side of Belleville street from Menzies street to St. John street (including maintenance) by filling in with black loam, seeding and planting.

And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor, having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-Law upon said work of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by said work, and the report of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said report is open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against the said proposed work of local improvement, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may, by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. BOWLER.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 21st, 1909.

NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE EDWARD BRANT MASON, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Trusts and Executors Act, that all creditors of the estate of the said deceased are required on or before the 20th day of October, A. D. 1909, to send particulars of their claims, duly verified to the undersigned, solicitor for John Willis Ambery and Alexis Martin, the executors of the said estate; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

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men's A. B. C. classes in the city were present, and from 50 to 60 men sat down to the festive board. The address of the evening was delivered by Rev. T. E. Hollings, of the Metropolitan church, whose words were eagerly listened to and appreciated by the audience. A splendid musical programme was given, and while at the festive board a number of toasts were made and the speeches heartily applauded. The programme of the evening was as follows:

Opening Hymn—Blest Be the Tie
Chairman's Remarks
Pianoforte Solo W. H. Davis
Vocal Solo C. L. Howarth
Address Rev. T. E. Hollings
Recitation Thos. West
The company then adjourned to supper, after which the remainder of the programme was given as follows:
Vocal Solo Chas. Lancelley
Pianoforte Solo Mr. Robinson
Vocal Solo C. L. Howarth
God Save the King.

The toast that was looked after by A. C. Hummel. It included the following toasts, responded to by the names attached: Our Country, Rev. H. A. Carson; Our Sunday Schools, J. E. Andrews; Our Bible Class, George Carter; Our Guests, N. Shakespeare; Our King and Empire, J. B. Sinclair; Our Province and Country, R. J. C. Smith.

FINES RAILWAY.

Indiana Appellate Court Objects to Tactics of Company.

Indiana, Ind., Oct. 7.—The Indiana Appellate Court yesterday rebuked the Vandalla railway for appealing unimportant cases and assessed a fine upon it for raising "nonsensical, irrelevant technicalities" so as to get its cases to a proper court.

This is the first time in the history of an Indiana court that an appellate has been penalized for appealing a case.

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REPORTS ON LABOR CONGRESS

PRESIDENT WATTERS
HOME FROM QUEBEC

Submits Statement of Business
at Convention to Local La-
bor Organization.

At last evening's meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council President Watters, who represented Victoria at the Quebec convention of the Canadian Labor Congress, having just returned from the east, made the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your delegate to the annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, held in the city of Quebec, from Monday, September 20th, to Friday, September 25th, inclusive, begs leave to report as follows:

At the opening of the convention 128 duly accredited delegates answered the roll call; the assemblage being representative of trades unions from Sydney in the East, to Victoria in the West.

Opening addresses were made by the presidents of the Trades and Labor Council of Quebec, and Levis, the premier of the province of Quebec; W. L. McKenzie King, minister of labor; Jerome Jones, of Atlantic, Georgia, fraternal delegate of the A. F. L.; Will Crooks, British labor M. P.; and Alphonse Verville, president of the congress.

It is with extreme gratification your delegate has to report that although questions of the greatest importance—the most important ever considered by the congress—were introduced by resolution, officers and committees reports to the convention, the proceedings throughout were characterized by a spirit of fairness and freedom from acrimonious debate. The absence, also, of unnecessary debate was a commendable feature of the proceedings, particularly so, since the resolutions and reports submitted to the convention and the main points made in debate were necessarily translated from English to French, and vice versa, to enable both English and French speakers to intelligently consider the vote on the questions before the convention.

Of the greatest local importance, the resolution by Delegate McGreer, of Vancouver, instructing the executive council of the congress to use its utmost endeavors with the Dominion government to prevent or to further limit the immigration to this country of Asiatics, particularly Japanese, was, after some discussion of an educational nature, unanimously concurred in.

Among the more important resolutions submitted to the convention and unanimously adopted was that relative to the coal miners' strike in Nova Scotia in which charges were made as to the irregularities in the calling out of the militia, imprisonment of picketers and the reprehensible action of evicting strikers and their families from their homes, etc., and calling on the Dominion government to appoint a royal commission with labor representatives thereon to inquire into all the facts leading up to the action of employers and employees during the strike and for what reason or purpose the services of the militia were enlisted.

The most important resolution submitted to the convention was that on international peace. The resolution, in addition to declaring against aggressive warfare provides means for the executive of the congress to get in touch with the different national federations of labor, to be present at and to take the lead in any peace conference, national or international that may be called independent of, as a result of the action of the executive of the congress. The debate arising from the introduction of this resolution was characterized by a unanimity of opinion against aggressive warfare, the necessity of the working class, who are the greatest sufferers and who have least to gain by reason of war, taking the lead in establishing peace among civilized peoples on a firm basis, was eloquent testimony to the awakening consciousness of the wage earners to the evils of war, the causes which lead to war and the means by which war will be buried in a common grave with other relics of barbarism. In the report of the executive that portion protesting against the introduction or where already in-

roduced the continuance of military training in the schools as a means of instilling into the minds of the young the aggressive military spirit, was adopted and emphatic disapproval of such military training was expressed by every speaker taking part in the debate.

The report of W. B. Trotter, British representative on emigration, was received with great satisfaction by the convention. The far-reaching effects of Mr. Trotter's mission in the British Isles in coping with the misrepresentations made by interested parties such as manufacturers, transportation companies, etc., is clearly set forth in the report. Particular mention is made of the commercial spirit underlying the action of the Salvation Army immigration officers. The proofs in possession of Mr. Trotter justified him in questioning the common honesty even of some of the Army's officers and characterizing their immigration policy as being in some respects not only unscrupulous but reprehensible.

The report of the representatives of the congress on the Moral and Social Reform Council of Canada was extremely interesting and instructive. The report clearly shows that just in proportion to the programme advised by labor representatives being put into operation will the work of the council be productive of good results. Labor representatives on the said council take the position that the moral standard of the individual or the community is, as a rule, the reflex of the economic condition of the individual or community; therefore to deal intelligently and effectively with the reflex the cause itself must be dealt with, i.e., the means by which men and women, particularly women, are compelled to earn their bread. Judging from the report itself one is impelled to conclude that the Moral and Social Reform Council of Canada will in a short space of time become an auxiliary of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada in building its energy to so usher in better working and living conditions as to enable the moral tone of the people to rise proportionately. In conclusion, it was demonstrated to the satisfaction of your delegate that while the congress has its limitations, yet because of its growth numerically, its persistent agitation and education, its growing prestige in the minds of employers and the awakening of fear and respect of it by parliaments, the congress has ample justification for its being in existence and merits the support of every trade union and central labor body in Canada. The educational value attaching to the debates on the different problems introduced to its convention is of the first importance. The different view point taken by different speakers and the free expression of opinion can only tend to give each a wider view of the subject under discussion and a more intelligent grasp of the question. This has been amply demonstrated in the case of the Asiatic problem in this province by the hearty cooperation of the congress in all efforts to prevent the spread of the evils of wholesale Asiatic immigration.

Your delegate was gratified by the cordial reception given him from members of the convention from one end of Canada to the other. Victoria stands high in the opinion of the officers of the congress. Special mention was made on the floor of the convention of the commendable promptness and reliability of correspondence, etc., of Victoria's central labor body. Because of the reputation made and maintained by your body in the work and counsel of the congress the task of your delegate to command recognition and receive the utmost consideration and even deference by the congress as a whole was comparatively easy.

Finally, the executive of the congress commissions your delegate to bring you their fraternal greetings and best wishes for the prosperity and usefulness of your central body.

J. C. WATTERS.

The officers elected by the congress were:

President, W. Glocking, Toronto; vice-president, Gustave France, Montreal; secretary-treasurer, P. M. Draper, Ottawa.

Provincial boards—British Columbia: Vice-president, J. C. Watters; Victoria: executive, G. G. McGreer, J. A. Atkins, Phil Parker.

Alberta—(Left over to incoming executive.)

Saskatchewan—Vice-president, James Sommerville; executive, W. Tilston, Moose Jaw; Hugh Peet, Regina; Chas. Perry, Saskatoon.

Manitoba—Vice-president, P. Bancroft; executive, Fred Ury, Port Arthur; E. Cadieux, Ottawa; Joseph T. Marks, London.

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DEFENCE OPENS IN SOTERO MURDER CASE

Prisoner's Side is Being Presented to the Jury—Self-defence Pleaded.

The trial of S. Sotero for the murder of Antonio Jordan occupied the attention of the assize court all yesterday afternoon, the Crown resting its case about 5 o'clock, and defence opening after a short address from S. Perry Mills, K.C. The defence outlined was a denial of any knife-blow by Sotero, and a plea of self-defence—if the wound had been received in the struggle between Jordan and Sotero.

The later witnesses for the Crown said that Sotero was in the water when the other fishermen reached his boat, in which Jordan lay dying, and when pulled into a boat he complained of being in pain. Dr. Hepworth, who saw him soon after he was placed under arrest at Stoveston, said he had several contusions on the arm and a bruise on the head, but needed no medical attention. Describing the wound on the dead man, Dr. Hepworth said it was on the inside of the left leg, an inch wide and three and three-quarter inches deep, extending upwards and outwards. It had severed the femoral artery.

Chief Harris, Stoveston, of the Richmond municipality police force, and Chief Constable Campbell, Vancouver, of the provincial police, told of a statement made voluntarily by the prisoner, in which he said that deceased had not very drunk and wanted to fight, that he had been ordered away, but came back and grabbed him by the throat and got him down. He had not drawn the knife on deceased, he said, and knew nothing as to how he could have been stabbed.

Mr. Mills took occasion to remark that both officers had acted most honorably with his client in the matter of this statement, and Mr. Justice Irving coincided with this view.

Witness for the defence stated that the dead man was on top of Sotero hitting him, and calling out those around to take away a knife which Sotero had.

PROSPERITY IN THE DOMINION

(Continued from page 3.)

Interests of Canada are in splendid shape, and that the outlook for the company is at this time more reassuring and more promising than ever before.

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"The sanction of the governor-in-council having been obtained, the shareholders, at the special general meeting held a year ago took the necessary action to provide for an increase of the ordinary capital of the company from \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000, and the directors were clothed with authority to issue the additional \$50,000,000 in such amounts, and on such terms, from time to time, according to the requirements of the company, as they might determine. Thus far the directors have not thought it necessary to deal with the subject, but the same conditions that bring enhanced revenue also compel constant and important expenditures for locomotives and cars, for the acquisition of enlargement of terminals, grounds and buildings, more siding accommodation, not only at the important centres, but at hundreds of other places on the system, and for desirable additions and improvements of almost every description on different sections of the railway and throughout the country.

"Anticipating these future general requirements of the company, and to meet them as they arise, the directors think it prudent at this time to make provision for the necessary funds by offering to the holders of the ordinary capital stock a portion of the unused shares. It is proposed that the issue shall be in the proportion of 20 per cent. of the shares registered in the name of each individual holder in the

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BUSINESS BEFORE TRADES COUNCIL

Some Interesting Reports Presented at Regular Meeting Last Evening.

At the regular meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council held last evening President Watters occupied the chair, having just returned from Quebec, where he has been in attendance at the convention of the Canadian Labor Congress.

the Ottawa government protesting against any arrangement being entered into with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company by which they would be allowed to engage Orientals in construction work on the railway. He reported that the request had been complied with and the reply of the Ottawa government to Vancouver might be taken as a reply to all telegrams on the subject. It was to the effect that the government had no such proposition laid before them. Hon. W. L. McKenzie King, minister of labor, made a similar statement before the convention of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress at Quebec.

The executive also reported that Will Crooks, M. P., the British labor leader, had arrived. It was intended he should address a meeting in the Victoria opera house, but as it was not available, arrangements had been made to hold the meeting in the A. O. U. W. hall, Yates street. The meeting had been well advertised, and no doubt the hall would be well filled.

The B. C. Anti-Tuberculosis Society wrote thanking the council for payment of their annual donation.

W. J. Dowler wrote to say that the Labor Council would be supplied with all details concerning the present and future water supply of the city, so far as the city officials were able to furnish the same, and the secretary was instructed to try and obtain the information required by next meeting.

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POLAR EXPLORATION BY AIRSHIP
Frederichshafen, Oct. 7.—Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of Emperor William, presided here at another meeting of persons interested in north polar research by means of a dirigible balloon. Among those present was Count Zeppelin, Dr. Felix Lewal, of the ministry of the interior, and Colonel Mann, chief engineer of the Zeppelin works. It was decided to organize a society to be known as the German Society for the exploration of polar regions to support the project. The efforts are to be continued persistently and will be limited to a single expedition.

STREET CAR FATALITIES.
Chicago, Oct. 7.—Eleven persons on the average have been injured daily and one person has been killed every other day for the last three months by the Chicago street cars.

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OF MUSICAL SOCIETYMme. Tomelli, the Noted Singer,
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October 25th.When the Victoria Musical Society is-
sued its prospectus, considerable disap-
pointment was expressed that the
course of concerts did not include any
women artists. Owing to Rosenthal
having cancelled his American tour, the
society has been enabled to meet the
wishes of its patrons by engaging Mme.
Jomelli, Miss Marie Nicols and Magda-
lene Worden, who will give a joint con-
cert on October 25th, the opening of
the society's season. The artists for
the other concerts will be as previously
announced, namely, Geo. Hamlin,
tenor, November 15th; Fritz Kreisler,
violinist, December 17th; and the New
York Symphony Orchestra, with a ver-
bal quartette under the leadership of
Walter Damrosch, on May 21st.Season tickets for the course of four
concerts may now be subscribed for at
\$5, \$7.50 and \$10 for the season—and
they will be on sale until Saturday
week—October 16th. Copies of the
prospectus may be obtained at any of
the music stores or from the honorary
secretary, 57 Fort street.Madame Jeanne Jomelli, who opens
the society's season, owes her won-
derful popularity in concert work to the
remarkable beauty and purity of her
voice, her impeccable technique, and
her radiant personality. New York
critics have called her "the beautifully-
garbed Mme. Jomelli," and her audi-
ences are won by her striking stage
presence before she opens her mouth to
sing a note. And her voice! It has the
limpid freshness and purity of pur-
ling streams, and she uses it with the
beautiful precision of an instrument.Mme. Jomelli grew up in music from
the time she first opened her eyes to
the world, something like thirty years
ago, in far away Amsterdam, Holland.
As a little tot of five years she began
her first music lessons, which were
found her not only a pianist of
high rank and an accomplished harpist,
but a singer with a remarkable voice.
Her debut in "Roméo and Ju-
liet" at the Amsterdam theatre in her
own native city—an honor of which few
singers can boast. Still her parents
shrank from having her take up the
burden of a professional life, and it
was not until after her father's death
that the mother was finally persuaded
to think of her gifted daughter as a
professional. Since that time, each
year has found her contributing her
share to the music gems of the season.Jomelli's first concert tour was an
ambitious one. It began in Dutch In-
dia, included China and Japan, and
took her eventually around the world.
While in Paris Mmeset was so struck
with the possibilities of her beautiful
voice and magnetic personality that
he offered to coach her for opera free
of charge, and she gladly availed her-
self of the opportunity. She sang in
most popular roles, was Elizabeth in
"Tannhauser," and Elsa in "Lohen-
grin." Elvira in "Don Giovanni" and
Marguerite in "Faust." She won bril-
liant triumphs in Berlin, Paris, and
London. Coming to America she even-
tually sang short seasons at both the
Manhattan and Metropolitan opera
houses. One evening during her second
season Manager R. E. Johnston heard
her sing in a drawing room, and with
the unerring judgment of a manager
who knows the requirements of the
concert stage from A to Z, he picked
Mme. Jomelli for the grand gala
singer in America. And he picked a
winner!The rest is now history. She returned
from Europe in time to sing at one
of the great Ocean Grove music festi-
vals, following Nordica, Schumann-
Heink and others whose names are
household words and who sang at the
auditorium earlier in the season, and
not even Nordica herself received a
more enthusiastic reception than was
accorded this young, and comparative-
ly unknown, Dutch singer. She was
given such an ovation as only the big
stars get, and the critics hailed her
as one of the greatest singers of modern
times.Everywhere she appeared she has
repeated her triumphs. She was star-
red at the Worcester and Maine festi-
vals. She was the glowing triumph
of the great Atlanta festival, and in
spite of the presence of leading Metro-
politan opera house stars who were
also engaged for the occasion, the At-
lanta Constitution said this "no singer
during the entire musical festival re-
ceived such an ovation as that accorded
this wonderful soprano."In all Jomelli sang in about seventy-
five concerts and recitals during the
season, securing an almost equal suc-
cess in oratorio and straight concert
work. She was not received as a singer
great in promise, but as a singer
already ranking amongst the greatest.

NEW GRAND THEATRE

The exceptionally good bill running
at the Grand theatre this week proves
to be one of the best that has been pro-
vided at this popular house during the
present year. Its star feature is un-
doubtedly the Ernest Pantzer athletic
troupe, an entirely new and modern act
that never fails to bring down the
house in applause. A man and a boy
take the principal parts in it and the
way in which the boy is lifted by the
elder performer causes the audience
to hold its breath in suspense. One
part of the turn is especially good and
an indrawing of breath by the audi-
ence accompanied it, for it looks as if
the little boy's arms would be jerked
from their sockets. But the expert and
graceful manner in which he is han-
dled makes the turn perfectly safe.
The lad does several remarkable feats
which all audiences this week have not
been slow to appreciate.The bill outside this act is a singing
one principally, and many are the
songs that are heard. Josephine Ains-
ley features several witty and laugh-
able ditties that were strangers here
but which are now the rage, and Leo-
nora Dupuee holds her own in voice
and singing with most of the perform-
ers the local playhouse has seen and
heard. Al Spaulding adds a lot to Miss
Dupuee's act and his make-up and ex-
traordinary tumbling stamp him a pub-
lic favorite. Million and Moore have a
bright and enjoyable turn tellingBeautiful
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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visit to Harrisburg, Pa.J. B. McCallum and Mrs. McCallum
have gone to the A. Y. P. exposition.Mrs. J. Tasse has left for the Ter-
minal city, where she will spend a few
days.Mrs. J. A. Lindsay, Rockland avenue,
is holding her post natal reception to-
day.C. Cooper and R. Irving were passen-
gers on the Champlain for Vancouver last
evening.P. Richardson crossed over to the
mainland last evening on the steamer
Champlain.Miss Clay, sister of the Rev. W.
Lentle Clay, left yesterday on a visit
to Spokane.Master John McIntosh left to-day
for Washington, D. C., where he will in
future reside.A. Campbell was among the passen-
gers who left for Vancouver on the
Champlain last evening.Mrs. J. H. Gray is leaving to-day
via the North Coast Limited and the
Canadian liner Caronia on a visit to
England.Mrs. T. J. Jones, corner of Linden and
Rockland avenues, will receive at her
residence on the first Thursday in No-
vember.Mrs. J. B. McCallum (Braeside) 1266
Pandora avenue, will not receive this
Friday, October 8th, on account of be-
ing out of the city.Mrs. H. M. Fullerton and Miss Ethel
Nelson were among those who left for
San Francisco this week. They will
visit a number of other cities in the
south before returning.Mrs. Harry F. Norris (nee) Pendray
will receive on Monday, October 13th,
from 3 to 6 o'clock (off Gorge road)
and in future the second Monday of
each month.John A. J. French, of Sooke, left yes-
terday for Vancouver to meet Major
General Sir George Arthur French, K.
C. M. G. who will be in Victoria in a
few days.In the Metropolitan Methodist
church last evening Mr. George Baker,
of the local postoffice staff, and Miss
Daisy E. Fuller were united in mar-
riage, the Rev. T. E. Holling performing
the ceremony. Mrs. Fuller, mother
of the bride, and the bride's sister and
brother were present. Mr. and Mrs.
Baker will take up their residence on
Fern street.A quiet wedding took place at the
Metropolitan Methodist parsonage yes-
terday afternoon when Mr. Anton
Burkhardt, of Oshkosh, Wis., and Miss
Josephine Blumert, of Sheboygan, Wis.,
were united in marriage by the Rev.
T. E. Holling. Mr. and Mrs. J. M.
Harris, of Seattle, accompanied the
bride party from the Sound and were
present to witness the ceremony.An enjoyable entertainment in con-
nection with the harvest festival at
Metochosin was held in the Metochosin
Institute hall last night. After the
concert a supper and dance were given.
The hall was crowded by the residents,
a large number of Victorians being also
in attendance. H. D. Helmcken, K.
C., occupied the chair, supported on the
platform by C. E. Pooley, K. C., and
Harry Pooley. The excellent concert
programme had been arranged by Mrs.
H. C. Briggs, who was ably supported
by Mrs. Henry Pooley, Miss Skelton,
Miss Howell, H. Shandley, Henry
Hedgson, D. Sidney and Messrs. Grey
and Drake. At the close of the enter-
tainment a vote of thanks was accorded
to the singers.SALADS AND HOW
TO PREPARE THEMSome Valuable Hints to the
Housewife Who Wants to
Succeed.Although salads are so much a part
of our daily diet, it is surprising how
few people can make a really good one.
Everybody has experienced at one time
or other the watery, vinegary mix-
ture which is offered as a "relish" with
the supper cold meat, and as to which
it may be safely said "one trial is suf-
ficient."There are several golden rules as to
the making of a salad, and they are
well worth remembering.The lettuce and other ingredients
should not be soaked in water for an
indefinite time, as in such case their
flavor is completely lost. After the let-
tuce is cut in quarters it should be
carefully washed and then examined to
see if it be rid of green fly, when it may
be finally rinsed and laid on a clean
cloth to drain.2. Watercress, if to be included in the
salad, needs the most strict attention,
for it sometimes shows frog's spawn,
and this must be removed, and every
blade picked over carefully ere it is
finally rinsed in salt and water and
put in a cloth to dry.3. Beetroot, tomato, or onion, which
ever is to give the distinctive qualifica-
tion to the salad, should be sliced on
separate plates and there await the
final mixing.4. Endive requires as careful wash-
ing as lettuce, but should not soak too
long in the water. It is sold in "half-
penny" very often, as quite a small quan-
tity gives the desired "tang" to the
salad.5. Radishes when in season should
have the green tops taken off and be
cut in fine slices.A plain salad is generally made of
the foregoing vegetables. Tomato or
beetroot being used, not the two to-
gether. A good and easy dressing can
be made as follows:First measure a tablespoonful of the
best salad oil, and having mixed the
lettuce, endive (carefully cut), tomato,
onion and watercress together, pour the
oil over them and stir until every leaf
and slice is thoroughly covered. Have
ready a hard boiled egg, take out the
yolk and mash it on a plate with a
small piece of butter, a little castor su-
gar, pepper, salt and mustard. Add
to this half a teaspoonful of Worcester
sauce, a teaspoonful of vinegar, and
one of milk. Beat it until it is well
mixed, then pour it into the salad,
which should be stirred until the dress-
ing is well distributed among the green
stuff. It should not be like a puddle in
the bottom of the bowl.A quaint old direction as to salad
dressing runs thus:"Be a spendthrift with the oil.
A miser with the vinegar.
And get a madman to stir the salad!"It is very easy to vary salad. Our
Continental neighbors know this, and
carefully set aside cold vegetables and
use them for this purpose. Nor do they
despise the humbler sorts of fish, and
their herring salad is indeed a tooth-
some dish, and is made thus:Cook one or two kippers and let them
get cold; then remove the bones and
shred the fillets into the bowl in which
cut lettuce and a very little onion is
already put. Take a rasber of cooked
bacon, and cut it fine, mixing all to-
gether, and adding a dressing of Dutch
sauce which has been prepared before-
hand, and should be cold. Before add-
ing it to the salad remove any skin
cut lettuce and a very little onion is
already put. Take a rasber of cooked
bacon, and cut it fine, mixing all to-
gether, and adding a dressing of Dutch
sauce which has been prepared before-
hand, and should be cold. Before add-
ing it to the salad remove any skinAnother nice fish salad can be made
with cold mackerel, and if small fish
are chosen and carefully cooked, they
are delicious. The skin should be re-
moved. The skin should be removed,
the bones also when cold, and the flesh
broken but not too small. Arrange the
pieces on a dish, surrounding them with
a salad already prepared. Pour Bech-
amel sauce, cold, over the little heap
of fish, and an excellent supper dish
is ready.Potato salad is frequently made of
new potatoes, cold and sliced, and pic-
kled onion and cauliflower cut small. A
mayonnaise sauce goes well with this.
Lobster salad is too hackneyed to need
description. Tinned lobster should be
avoided. A small freshly boiled lobster
is in every way preferable to the tin-
ned variety. Take the meat from the
shell and divide it into small pieces;
prepare the lettuce, etc., as for a plain
salad; mix in the pieces of lobster, and
pour over all a mayonnaise sauce.Russian salad is made of all sorts of
cold cooked vegetables, celery, and
onions are cold, potatoes, cut small,
green peas, French beans or scarlet
runners, chopped carrots, pickled cab-
bage and pickled onions. The ordinary
salad dressing, oil, vinegar, etc., is best.
Bechamel Sauce (thin).—Put one-gill
of milk in a saucepan and boil with a
very small piece of mace, a small onion
and a dust of cayenne pepper. Melt one
ounce of butter in a saucepan, mix with
it one ounce of flour. Strain the flavo-
red milk, add it to the flour by degrees.
Stir till it boils. Add a pinch of salt.
Set it by in a small basin to get quite
cold, remove any skin that has formed
over the top, beat it well and pour over
the salad.Dutch Sauce.—A half teaspoonful of
flour, two ounces of butter, two table-
spoonfuls of vinegar, two tablespoon-
fuls of water, the yolks of two eggs,
the juice of half a lemon, salt to taste.
Put all the ingredients into a small
basin and stand it over a saucepan of
boiling water, stir it constantly with a
wooden spoon. Do not let it boil or it
will be spoiled. If it should curdle the
sauce should be "carefully strained
through a fine hair sieve. Tarragon
vinegar may be used instead of the
ordinary. Set the sauce aside to cool
and beat it well before use.Mayonnaise Sauce.—One or two yolks
of eggs, one teaspoonful of vinegar,
one teaspoonful of Tarragon vinegar,
one teaspoonful of lemon juice. Half
a teaspoonful of salt, a quarter
of a teaspoonful of mixed mustard,
pepper, salt and three tablespoonfuls
of salad oil.
Put the yolks into a basin, add the
mustard, pepper, salt and vinegar, stir

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WEDDED IN BRUSSELS.

In St. John's church, Brussels, Ont.,
at high noon on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd,
a fashionable wedding was celebrated,
when Mr. Alexander Barret Macdonald,
barister of Cranbrook, B. C., formerly
of Brussels, and Miss Kathleen Le-
onard, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs.
W. Lane Holmes, of Brussels were
married. The bride is well known in
Victoria where she has visited on one
or two occasions as the guest of her
aunt, Mrs. Cleland. The ceremony was
conducted by the Rev. M. M. Lang-
ford, rector of Christ church, Listowel,
assisted by the Rev. D. E. Cameron,
rector of St. John's church, Brussels.The chancel was beautifully decorated
with flowers and bank of ferns. The
bride was given away by her father,
and wore a white duchesse-satin with
overdress of Irish hand-made lace, and
well and orange blossoms. The maid
of honor was Miss Chambers, of Tiver-
ton, who wore yellow mousseline de
soie over yellow satin. The brides-
maids were Miss Chambers, of Har-
vey, son, Miss Harvey and Miss Nora Har-
vey, of Newark, N. J., Miss Catherine
Chambers, of Tiver-ton; the groom-
smen were Dr. Campbell, of Port Elgin;
the flower girl was little Miss Dorothy
Holmes, and Roger Harvey, of Newark,
N. J., page. The ushers were A. H.
Monteith, J. H. McClocklin, Walter
Scott and T. C. Holmes. The only
ornaments worn by the bride were dia-
mond earrings, the groom's gift. Each
of the bridesmaids was presented with
a gold bracelet, the groomsmen re-
ceived a pearl tie-pin and the ushers
silver cigarette cases. Mr. and Mrs.
Macdonald took the train for a trip
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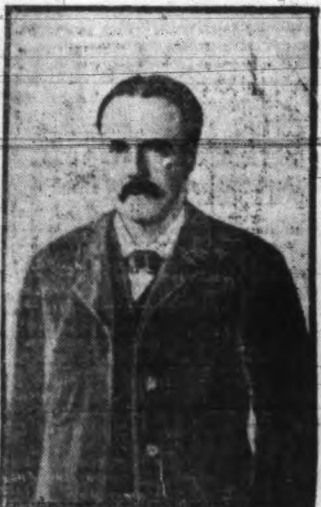
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MR. BALFOUR'S GREAT APPEAL TO THE NATION

Powerful Address at Birmingham by Leader of
the Unionists in Criticism of Prime Minister
Asquith's Defence of the Budget.

Mr. Balfour, leader of the Unionists, delivered his eagerly-awaited speech in reply to Prime Minister Asquith's defence of the budget in Bingley Hall, Birmingham, on the evening of Wednesday, September 22nd, last. The consensus of opinion is that it was a masterly effort. Writing from Birmingham the special correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph said: "Mr. Chamberlain's city has known some of the strongest scenes in public life, but with a single exception, it has never known an episode more significant of a new era than the magnificent gathering arranged for Mr. Balfour to-night. He seemed to stand visibly between the cause of the Empire and all that threatens it as he made his great appeal to the nation. He called for the uprising of all the sound elements in the state against the Socialist danger; he appealed for tariffs as the only means of combating the red peril, and of placing upon a solid basis the security of the empire and the welfare of the masses; and, above all, perhaps, for Birmingham at this moment, he appealed to Mr. Chamberlain's own people on behalf of Mr. Chamberlain's own cause. This was the touch of chivalry which stirred every imagination among the mighty multitude, densely pressed, widespread, far-flung to the furthest limits of an immense arena, who swayed, roared and chanted in the old way for an hour by the clock, as they wait-



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ed for the Unionist leader. The scene, even to those of us who have known other scenes like it, made once more its overwhelming impression. "Mr. Austen Chamberlain presided, and when he appeared conducting Miss Balfour to her seat, the mighty audience rose and gave round after round of cheering, and the demonstration was renewed again when Mr. Balfour, with Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, advanced to the front of the platform."

Following is a verbatim report of Mr. Balfour's speech. Mr. Chamberlain, my lords, and gentlemen.—You have been told by your chairman to-day that it is my duty to present to you, as far as I can, on behalf of that great party with which I am connected the views that I and my friends entertain of the present situation. Your chairman has read out to you a letter from your senior member, and it is indeed painful to every man that I am addressing to reflect that he cannot be here with us to-day upon this

platform—"Hear, hear,"—and make his voice directly and plainly heard by his fellow-citizens. ("Hear, hear.") But we rejoice to think that the high courage, the clear intellect, the assured judgment, still remain with him—(cheers)—and that in the letter which has been read to you to-day you have his mature thoughts upon a situation not less grave, not less important, nay I think more grave and more important than any which has come up to this generation for its decision. (Cheers.) Now, of course, I am expected to speak, and I wish to speak, upon the financial position in which we find ourselves, and all the corollaries that may be drawn therefrom, but I am not going here and now to discuss in detail the budget, which for all these weeks and months has occupied the attention of the House of Commons. Your chairman and I have done our best—(cheers)—to expose paragraph by paragraph the injustices and the follies of an unjust and foolish proposal, ("Hear, hear.") But I am well aware that the very completeness with which that work has been done may have concentrated public attention too much upon detail, and that we may risk to a certain extent losing a general perspective and fail to see the general laying out of the wood in the complication of all the trees, nay, all the bushes, through which we have been attempting to cut our way.

Not a Poor Man's Budget. Well, let us put on one side this and that detail, however important. Let us forget for a moment the injustices to this or that individual, this or that class, however grave they may be, and let us look on these Budget proposals not merely as they affect particular interests, but as they affect the community as a whole—"Hear, hear"—and, above all, how they compare with the alternative proposals on which I shall have something to say to you before I sit down. ("Hear, hear.")

Now, ladies and gentlemen, we have been told over and over again, we have been told with unwearied insistence and iteration, that this budget is the poor man's budget—"No!"—and I gather that there may be one or two gentlemen here who share the view, but whom I think I shall be able to convince before I sit down—"Hear, hear!"—that no view could be more fantastic. At all events, I am quite ready to fight the question on that issue. (Cheers.) I am quite ready to argue the question, not from the point of view of this class or that class, the wealthy man, the middle-class man, whoever he may be, I am quite ready to abandon that, and to ask the plain question: Is this a poor man's budget? ("Yes," and loud cries of "No.") Or is it not? Well, if we could I am well aware that there are some people who are quite ready to suffer any loss or inconvenience themselves provided always that they may have the proud satisfaction of knowing that somebody else is suffering more loss and more inconvenience. (Laughter.) I do not wish to interfere with their private gratification, nor to stand in the way of their legitimate pleasures. (Laughter.) Still, there are wider interests concerned, and I ask them whether they are prepared to argue the question from the point of view from which I mean to argue it.

Is it or is it not a poor man's budget? ("Yes," and loud "No, noes," and a voice: "Why are the dukes against it, then?")

If we could indeed abolish poverty by abolishing riches how simple would be the task of the social reformer; how easy would it be to place the great and complicated society in which we live, with all its sufferings, inconveniences, and losses, how easy would it be to put it right, for any fool can destroy wealth. (Laughter.) It requires neither wisdom nor statesmanship to destroy

MONKEY ROBS POLICEMAN.

New York, Oct. 7.—Adam Ward, an attendant at Roche's bathing pavilion, Far Rockaway Beach, was looking in the dressing rooms after the bathers had gone, when he found a monkey dressed in a red bathing suit. Ward took the monkey to the police station. After the doorman had locked up the monkey, the lieutenant on duty missed a fifty-cent piece that he had in his waistcoat pocket. The money was found in the monkey's jacket.

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It, the humblest under-secretary can do it? If you give him power. (Loud laughter and applause.)

Many tyrants have done it in the past, many tyrants who were absolute governors, many tyrants who were tyrants by the will, the temporary will, of a passing passion; but it requires something more than dictatorial folly to diminish poverty, and, believe me, the man who sets to work to deal with that great social issue, believing in his heart that merely by bullying down he is able to build up, is laboring under the profoundest mistake; and does not understand the elements of that complicated problem that every modern statesman dealing with modern industrial communities has set himself to understand and to deal with. (Cheers.) If we are really to form a judgment upon the present situation we must for a moment cast our eyes back, and see how it has arisen.

A Prophecy Fulfilled. I remember, speaking in this great city, two years ago I think it was, that casting my eyes forward as well as I was able, I pointed out that inevitably the progress of expenditure and the necessity for finding money would bring home to every thinking mind, in a manner which was not then present to the general conscience of the public, the absolute necessity of an alteration in our fiscal system. (Loud cheers.) Two years have passed. That prophecy has come true, but much more than that has come true. Three years, two years ago, nay, even one year ago, there were many who thought that those who were in favor of Tariff Reform advocated a new policy as an alternative to an old policy, and they said, not without some plausible justification, "Britain has grown great and rich under the old system, why should we change it? Population has augmented, commerce has increased, our exports, our imports, our fleets of merchantmen, all have grown with the passing years, and all this has happened under the old system. Why change it?" I think they were shortsighted, and I think now they are beginning to see that they were short-sighted. (Loud cheers.)

The choice is no longer now between the old system and the new, between the finance of Sir Robert Peel, Mr. Gladstone, and all the other Chancellors of the Exchequer on the one side, and fundamental alteration in our fiscal system on the other. The choice is no longer between a successful past and an adventurous future. (Cheers.) The old system has broken down, even by the admission of the government themselves. This budget is no continuation of the traditions of the Chancellors of the Exchequer during the last sixty years. (Hear, hear.) It masquerades in the old clothes, but they do not fit it. (Laughter and cheers.) And I should like well to know what would be thought of these later proposals by those financiers from whom the present government profess to have learned their financial lessons.

What would the shades of Sir Robert Peel and Mr. Gladstone say to a scheme which professes to be only a development of their policy, but which is a development that absolutely destroys that policy, so that certainly its original parents would not recognise their own children? Premier's "Drawing-room Version." It was in this hall, I believe, that Mr.

Asquith, the prime minister, gave a version—(laughter)—his version, of the budget. That version struck me as having been intended for what I may call drawing-room use. (Laughter.) It was meant for, and, I take it, was very well adapted to, the tastes and wishes of the Liberal Club politician. That version was very different from that given in the street-corner oratory of his more bustling colleagues. Those who liked it were the gentlemen who pray nightly that the House of Lords may throw out this budget, fully determined if the House of Lords did such a thing to go about the country denouncing them for their unconstitutional behavior. These form no inconsiderable section of the weightier members of the prime minister's party. Though they walk in front they do not lead. (Laughter and cheers.) It is not from them that the driving power, such as it is—(laughter)—of the new policy is derived. If you want really to know what those are who form the bulk of its supporters, do not go to the prime minister, do not go to those whom he intended to placate last Friday—go to the candid utterances of his more important colleagues, study the speeches of those who really support the budget, and you will find that the budget owes all its strength not to the value of its inherent and intrinsic proposals, not to the method in which it meets the expenditure of this year or even the expenditure of next year. You will find that its whole strength is derived from the hopes it has excited in the minds of those who study not its capital provisions, but the principles which underlie those provisions, and you see in the future an unbounded development in the direction of Socialistic revolution. (Cheers.)

If that is true—and I do not believe that even those gentlemen present who approve the budget will deny the accuracy of my statements—what is the meaning of those who study not its capital provisions, but the principles which underlie those provisions, and you see in the future an unbounded development in the direction of Socialistic revolution. (Cheers.) If that is true—and I do not believe that even those gentlemen present who approve the budget will deny the accuracy of my statements—what is the meaning of those who study not its capital provisions, but the principles which underlie those provisions, and you see in the future an unbounded development in the direction of Socialistic revolution. (Cheers.)

That is why I said earlier in my speech that I believe we have now reached a moment in which a more important decision has to be taken by the people of this country than they had to take for many a long year past. But you must remember, please, that this is no fortuitous accident, but it has been obviously inevitable for some years. All the tendencies of modern commerce, all the tendencies of modern politics have gradually been working up to this particular crisis, to this particular moment at which even those who have been most reluctant will have to say Aye or No, and will have to commit themselves on one side or the other. Are you going to be in what I, at all events, think is the upward movement, the forward movement, the hopeful movement of tariff reform?—(cheers)—or are you going to take a step on that downward track which leads you to the bottomless confusion of Socialistic legislation? (Cheers, and cries of "No.")

Please remember before you give your verdict one way or the other upon this great issue, that the condition of this country is not now, and never again will be, what it was in those halcyon days of British industrial supremacy, in which the old system of finance found its birth. In those days we were supreme. We were supreme in the neutral markets, we were supreme in our own markets, we were supreme even in the markets of those countries who hoped in time to be able to rival us in manufacturing power. No man who has studied with even superficial attention the statistics which reveal the conditions of modern commerce either thinks that that state of things now exists, or that it can ever recur. It cannot recur. Once we were in isolated supremacy over the manufacturing interests of the world. Who would be bold enough

now to say that we are the first among our equals in manufacturing power in many of the great industries on which the world depends? There is unhappily nothing more certain than that we are no longer the first among equals, we are not even the second among equals, in some respects we have to rejoice that we are still third among these industrial competitors.

Economist's Mistake. Now observe what an enormous difference that makes, and must make, in your whole outlook upon the industrial future of the country. I am not going to argue on such an occasion, and before this audience, the details of economic theory, but I may be permitted to say that in my judgment, at all events, the older economists, valuable as their observations have been to the study of the science, made a profound mistake, or at all events failed to foresee the existing situation when they argued—when they forget, perhaps, I ought to say, that there might be a large number of countries equally efficient in great industries, and between whom it must be a turn of the die as to whether capital would flow to develop a particular industry. A letter and a postage stamp may send an order from Britain to America, from America to Germany. All are equipped, broadly speaking, on an equality for some of the greatest industrial work of which, once we had the monopoly—(hear, hear)—and it is folly to argue as if we were now in the position always or commonly postulated by those economic authorities in which every country had a pursuit in which they were supreme, that it was their business to develop that supremacy to the utmost extent, but to leave other industries to other countries which were first in them. That does not represent what is now taking place. What is now taking place is something quite different. You have capital, mobile capital, international capital, capable of being readily transferred to America, to Germany, wherever it can get the best investments, and there is not this inequality between these countries which was the whole basis of the original doctrine of free trade. (Loud cheers.)

"What We Want is Business." The condition of things which I have thus explained matters very little to the capitalist. If he gets his interest it matters very little to him whether he gets it by giving employment in America, Britain, or in Germany. To him it is all one. Is it all one to the workers in this country? (Loud cheers, and cries of "No, no.") That is the problem which you have to consider. That is as I think the root of the crucial point, the essential knot of this whole controversy. What we want is business. (Loud cheers.) The policy which gives you business is the policy for the poor man. (Cheers.) The rich capitalist, if his capital be mobile, can move it about here and there with no loss to himself. He can laugh at any chancellor of the exchequer, but the man whose living depends upon wages, his fate and his fortune turn upon whether wages and employment are forthcoming or not. (Cheers.) He is the man who is going to suffer from any financial proposals. He is the man who is going to suffer if the action of the government of this country does anything which may induce employers to employ foreigners rather than Britons, to send his capital elsewhere rather than here, to encourage industries under other flags, in other countries, instead of employing it in carrying on that great work of production on the amount of which, and not on the division of which, the prosperity of those who are the wage-earners of this country fundamentally depends.

What is the conclusion of this part of the argument? The conclusion is this that in any financial proposals which you accept and favor you must find something which helps you to markets elsewhere—(hear, hear)—which gives security to your manufactures at home—(hear, hear)—and which encourages British capital being employed on British soil.

I confess I look with amazement, not untinged with contempt, upon those who with perfect equanimity face a situation in which great communities are surrounded by their own tariff walls, against which we beat in vain, and in which we see the Colonies and dependencies of the Crown belonging economically, industrially, and financially to some other commercial system than that of which we are the centre, while America, for example, is successfully

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building up the greatest commercial empire that this world has ever seen, while Germany has with unexampled and almost staggering success promoted growth in her own industries, and through the partial and unequal working of the most-favored-nation clause has herself become the centre of a mid-European body of nations, who for certain purposes form a community armed as it were, against British competition—it is, I say, intolerable that while that process is going on, and while those countries are allowed to forge, and do forge, the weapons by which they are going to withdraw from our sphere of commercial influence the colonies, we should sit by with folded arms, and confine ourselves to some antiquated formulae, and refuse to look facts in the face. (Cheers.)

Tampering With Security.

If that be so, and I think it is so, what are we to say from that point of view—the poor man's point of view, please remember—what are we to say of the budget proposals of the present government? I have spoken in vain if I have not made it clear—I do not suppose it required to be made clear—but if I have not made it doubly clear that security is of the very essence of industrial success—(cheers)—and that if you tamper with security the first persons that you injure are the wage-earning classes of this country. The budget, therefore, errs in my judgment; it errs by what it does not do, and it errs by what it does do. It errs because it gives none of that security which I believe judicious tariff reform will give—(cheers)—none of that security either to the wage-earner or to the manufacturer, and leaves him a helpless prey to the well-engineered arrangements of other countries not bound by our mummy formulae.

That is what it does not do. Another

thing it does not do is to meet half way, or even a quarter way, the offers of our colonies—(cheers)—to make with us a commercial and industrial system which shall not be hostile to, but which shall in some respects counterbalance, the other great commercial systems which we see growing up before our eyes, nay, which have grown up and have reached maturity. That is its second sin of omission. But it has its sins of commission also, and its sins of commission are almost as great as its sins of omission. Its great sin of commission is this—it interferes with security. (Hear, hear.) Now, I take it that that is the point which has been least understood by those who in a hasty moment have expressed their liking or their moderate criticism of the present budget. They have not seen how far-reaching are its effects; they have not gauged the future; they have not seen all that is implicit or all its authors avows is implicit, in the proposals now being discussed in the House of Commons.

Members of the government responsible for the budget have cast their eyes upon—(laughter)—and have told us they are thankful to reflect that they are not like those poor tariff reformers, that they do not interfere with any trade or any industry, that they do not stand in the way of any man earning his daily bread, or any man investing his money in productive enterprises. There never was a more preposterous claim made by any government, not even by this government. (Laughter.) The question for you is not, does this budget interfere with such and such a trade or such and such another industry? It interferes with every industry; it cuts at the root of all enterprise. The budget principles, with their inevitable development before them, cut at the

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RATE WAR IN COFFEE CARRYING TRADE

Kosmos Line Announces Intention to Cut Off From Pool.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—A rate war which promises to affect the coffee trade of the South American continent is imminent for the reason that the Pacific Mail Steamship line, the Kosmos line and the Jensen-Ostrander Steamship company have individually started to fight for the coffee trade of the south.

Trouble began several days ago when the Kosmos people withdrew from the "coffee pool" and it was unofficially announced that the company would "go it alone."

To-day it is reported that the company will make a cut under the present coffee transportation rate, and will carry the cereal direct to Europe via the Straits of Magellan, instead of re-shipping over the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, as heretofore has been done.

With the Kosmos line outside the pale of a traffic agreement, it is expected that the other lines will be compelled to follow and a general slashing of rates to secure their share of traffic will result.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.)

Cape Lazo, Oct. 8, 8 a.m.—Calm; clear; bar, 30.21; temp., 41; sea moderate.

Point Grey, Oct. 8, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.23; temp., 47.

Estevan, Oct. 8, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.34; temp., 42; heavy swell.

Pachena, Oct. 8, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.21; temp., 40; heavy swell.

Tatoosh, Oct. 8, 8 a.m.—Clear; W. 8 miles; bar, 30.31; temp., 42; light swell; out, steamer Cyclops, 11 p.m.

out, steamer Utago, 5.55 a.m.

Estevan, Oct. 8, noon.—Cloudy; S. E. bar, 30.34; temp., 51; light swell.

Pachena, Oct. 8, noon.—Cloudy; S. bar, 30.27; temp., 50; light swell.

Tatoosh, Oct. 8, noon.—Clear; E. 11 miles; bar, 30.31; temp., 52; light swell; schooner Iron Dollar out, 10.15 a.m.

Point Grey, Oct. 8, noon.—Clear; N. W. bar, 30.27; temp., 53; out, Comox, 11.30 a.m.

Cape Lazo, Oct. 8, noon.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.27; temp., 52; sea smooth.

Amur south bound, 9.15 a.m.; fishing steamer Grant south bound, 10 a.m.

spoke Humboldt at 10.15 and Portland at 11.20 in Discovery Pass, both north bound.

DOCTORS SAID ONLY ZAM-BUK COULD CURE HER ECZEMA.

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She says: "Eczema started on one side of my face and nose. At first my nose felt sore, similar to what one feels when having a bad cold. I paid no attention to this, thinking it would pass away in a few days. To my surprise it got worse. The nose then became swollen and hard, and turned a purplish red, as well as part of the cheek on that side of my face.

"As the disease developed pimples and ulcers broke out, then the skin cracked in places and peeled off in flakes, leaving my face and nose raw and sore. This condition reacted on my general health, and I became very ill. I could get no sleep at night because of the irritation and the pain, and my face was in such a shocking condition that for two months I did not go out of the house. I applied remedies which were supposed to be good for skin diseases, but in vain.

"My doctor also treated me, but without effect, until one day he said that the only thing which would now be likely to cure me was Zam-Buk. Acting on his advice, I procured a supply and found that even the first few applications had a soothing effect on the sores. I left off everything else in favor of this balm, and applied it liberally every day to affected parts. In a remarkably short time, considering the obstinate nature of my disease, we saw traces of improvement, which encouraged us to persevere with the Zam-Buk treatment. Zam-Buk reduced the discoloration, then the hard swelling began to show traces of leaving, the sores seemed less angry, and in about three weeks' time most of the sores were healing nicely. To cut a long story short, I continued with the Zam-Buk treatment until my face was cleared completely of all traces of the troublesome and painful eczema.

Such was the experience of Mrs. St. Denis, and scores of other sufferers could tell of similar experience. Zam-Buk is Nature's own healer, being composed of pure herbal healing essences, and free from all trace of harmful animal fat or mineral poison. It is a sure cure for cuts, lacerations, burns, eczema, ringworm, poisoned, festering sores, bad leg, and all skin injuries and diseases. Zam-Buk is also a cure for piles. Druggists and stores everywhere sell at 50c a box, or post free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, on receipt of price. You are warned against cheap and harmful imitations sometimes represented as "just as good."

OCEAN QUEEN LOST IN SOUTH PACIFIC

Wireless Report Received From Steamship Mariposa.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—A wireless dispatch received by the Merchants' Exchange from the Oceanic Steamship line's steamer Mariposa, bound from Tahiti to this port, reports the loss of the Norwegian steamer Ocean Queen on a reef in the South Pacific. The Ocean Queen, Capt. Johansen, sailed from Tahiti on September 15 for Mawatea Island. Early the next day her engine broke down and she drifted on a reef. Her bottom was pierced by the jagged coral and she sank from sight at 6 o'clock the same evening. All on board were saved.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

Seattle, Oct. 7.—Arrived: Steamer Watson, from South ports; steamer St. Helens, from Nome; British steamer Keemum, from Liverpool via Tacoma. Sailed: German steamer Anubis, for Hamburg; British steamer Rupert City, for Prince Rupert via Vancouver; steamer Humboldt, for Skagway.

Everett—Sailed: Steamer Shina Yak, for San Francisco.

Vancouver—Sailed: British steamer Empress of China, for the Orient.

Seward—Sailed: Steamer Bertha, for Valdez; steamer Seward, for Seldovia.

Port Townsend—Arrived: American schooner Wm. Nottingham, from Calico.

American schooner Mahukona, from San Francisco, for orders.

American ship St. Paul, from Uyak. Sailed: American schooner Wm. Nottingham, for Winslow.

American ship St. Paul, for Seattle; German steamer Utgard, for Columbia river to load wheat for United Kingdom; American barkentine Aurora, for Winslow for drydock.

San Francisco—Arrived: Steamer Falcon, from Portland; schooner Oregon, from Coquille river. Sailed: Barque Andrew Welch, for Honolulu.

Hongkong—Arrived: Previously, Japanese steamer Aki Maru, from Seattle via Yokohama; British ship Onufa, from Liverpool via Singapore, for Puget Sound; British steamer Titan, from Puget Sound via Yokohama, for Liverpool.

Astoria—Arrived: Steamer George R. Vosburg, from Nehalem for Portland and proceeded; Sailed: Steamer Roanoke, for San Francisco.

Los Angeles, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Steamer Chehalis, from Grays Harbor. Sailed: Steamer San Gabriel, for Umpqua river; Shoshone, for Grays Harbor; Cascade, for Puget Sound, and schooner Alvena, for Grays Harbor.

NAVIGATION SCHOOL

Capt. James and Jarvis Will Hold Evening Classes During the Coming Winter.

Capt. James and Jarvis of the Victoria Nautical Academy, intend to conduct evening classes in different subjects connected with the sea during the coming winter.

These will commence in November and should form a pleasant and instructive pastime for the long winter evenings, and it is anticipated that they will be rather largely attended.

The subject for November will be "Rule of the Road," that for December "Chart Work," and for January, 1910, "Compass Deviation and the Laws of Magnetism."

TIDE TABLE

Date	Time	High	Time	Low	Time	High	Time	Low
Oct. 7	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
Oct. 8	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
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Oct. 26	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
Oct. 27	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
Oct. 28	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
Oct. 29	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
Oct. 30	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
Oct. 31	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for high water are distinguished by high water from low water. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of the low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

The Sotero trial is continuing and will occupy the greater part of the afternoon. The prisoner, put in the witness box for the defence, swore he did not strike any blow with a knife.

Mayor Hall this afternoon received a telegram from the secretary of the relief committee at Extension, thanking the citizens of Victoria for the expression of sympathy and expressing a willingness to receive proffered aid. Mayor Hall will lay this matter before the members of the council at to-morrow evening's meeting of the streets committee and prompt action will be taken.

CAPT. ARCHIBALD TOOK OUT EMPRESS OF CHINA

Full Cargo and Long List of Passengers for the Orient.

After a holiday of six months Capt. Archibald was once more in command of the R. M. S. Empress of China which sailed from the outer wharf last night with a full cargo, consisting of flour and general merchandise. The following is the list of passengers to the Far East: Miss M. A. Asson, Rev. H. J. Atkinson, Miss Atkinson, Mrs. Herbert Barclay, John Barclay, Lord Brooke, Lady Brooke, James Buchanan, Mrs. James Buchanan, Miss Buchanan, Mr. Coleman, Mrs. Coleman, Col. J. Cooper, Mrs. Cooper, H. E. Doynt, Miss E. J. Elderkin, Miss Ezra, Miss S. M. Fokins, O. St. M. Forester, H. Gummer, Mrs. Gummer, H. Hancock, Mrs. H. Hancock, C. H. Hartwell, Mrs. Hartwell, A. J. Huet, Maurice Huet, Mrs. Maurice Huet, Mrs. G. Huet, E. J. Hunter, Mrs. Ingham, H. D. C. Jones, Mr. Mackintosh, Miss Mackintosh, Miss E. Marshall, E. Mast, Mrs. E. Mast, S. E. Mast, H. Parker, A. B. Patterson, Mrs. A. B. Patterson, Mrs. F. R. Rogers, Miss Rogers, Mrs. R. Beckett Russell, Miss Mary Selman, Miss E. P. Sparling, Miss Z. T. Wrigley, Miss M. Swann, Dr. Hugh Weir, Mrs. Hugh Weir, H. J. Weiss, Alfred Wragge.

MARINE NOTES

Two more steamers will be added to the number of disengaged craft in the North Pacific waters shortly. The British steamer Crown of Galicia, which brought railroad iron from Cape Breton to Prince Rupert, is due to finish discharging its cargo to-day and the Norwegian steamer Christian Bors, which brought a cargo of sugar here from Java, is due to finish discharging to-day. It is probable that both steamers will shift to Comox to lay up waiting orders.

The freighter Hercules, which has been discharging rails at Prince Rupert, arrived at the Esquimalt drydock late yesterday, where she is this morning being overhauled and examined. The Hercules will sail in the grain fleet from the Sound after leaving the drydock.

The British ship Celtic Monarch, which brought general cargo to Vancouver from Liverpool and Glasgow, reached Tacoma to discharge the balance of her freight on Saturday afternoon. She has not been chartered outward and will lay up at Quartermaster Harbor.

The steamer Keemum reached the outer wharf this morning from Tacoma and is discharging cargo.

Y. M. C. A. LAYS PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

Monthly Meeting of the Directors Was Held Last Evening.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. held their regular meeting last evening in the association rooms, when the following were present: R. B. McKinnon, president; R. L. Drury, vice-president; W. Scovcroft, treasurer; E. W. Whittington, recording secretary; Capt. McIntosh, A. B. Fraser, W. N. Mitchell, Geo. W. Robertson, A. B. McNeill and A. J. Brace, general secretary.

The chief business up for discussion was the providing of a building for the coming season and the new building, sum of \$1500 was voted as the expenditure for the season. A. B. Fraser, chairman of the finance committee, outlined the plans he had made for the collecting of the second instalment for the new building, which is due in November. The first payment has nearly all been made, and when the second is in work on the new structure will be started. The alterations to the plans have nearly all been made. The building will be completed in the month of October, 1910, and the winter season of that year will be commenced in the handsome new building. It was decided that at the close of the season's work that the association would move from the present quarters and take up temporary offices near the new building. The Y. M. C. A. will next carry its summer work on a larger scale so as to retain its membership during the time which the association is without any quarters to which the members may go. The committee appointed to look after the lecture to be given by William J. Bryan, the great United States orator, reported that good progress was being made to make this affair a big success. Secretary Brace had a report to make on the Labor Day excursion, which was very encouraging one. He also reported that the refreshment tent, which had been erected at the exhibition grounds at the time of the fair, had brought in very good returns.

A resolution of thanks and appreciation was sent to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the organization, the members of which are always willing to help when the occasion arises. They had given their whole time to the two above named affairs. A resolution of sympathy was sent to R. S. Allen, of the Seattle Y. M. C. A., who has just suffered the loss of his wife. The following committee through their respective presidents reported on what they had done during the past month: Religious work, G. H. Robertson; education and literary work, Capt. McIntosh; physical work, C. A. Field; social work, A. B. McNeill; boys' work, W. M. Mitchell.

—W. Frye, the victim of the shooting accident in the vicinity of the Seventeen-mile Post last week, is making splendid progress towards recovery at St. Joseph's hospital.

The Popping Rheumatism
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ALL BODIES OF MINE VICTIMS RECOVERED

(Continued from page 1.)

spring his brother was driving a load of hay when from some unknown cause the load upset and the man was killed. Quite recently his mother died, and now the family is extinct with the snuffing out of the life of the man Mickal. He was a quiet, unobtrusive man, and was little known in the community to which he had recently come. This was the reason his body remained so long unidentified.

Andrew Moffatt was about to give up the life of a miner to enter the grocery business with his father in Nanaimo. His body was taken to his father's home.

A Fast Run

An incident which is worthy of record in connection with the sad affair was the record trip made by the Extension train to Ladysmith and back to bring the doctor and the mine manager to the scene.

Jimmy McKay, who is usually the most careful of engineers, was told to hurry as the case was urgent. He opened the engine throttle wide and in 35 minutes had dashed down the twelve miles to the city, picked up the passengers and was back at the mine. The conductor set his teeth and gripped the brake wheel in case they might be needed, for at times the train was rushing far faster than a mile a minute. It is customary to come to town pretty fast, but this was a record run and McKay is proud of it.

City Feels Sore

The catastrophe which has overtaken the city of Ladysmith has come as a sad anti-climax to the year of prosperity which the city has passed through. There has of late been so great a demand for the Extension coal that many ships have been unable to get their bunkers filled at that port, owing to there not being enough coal to go round. The mines have been worked at full blast all the time, and when the explosion occurred no less than 800 men were employed on every shift in the workings running out from the one tunnel.

The result of this steady demand for the coal and of other causes the city has been steadily growing. New buildings have been erected and those already there have been improved. Other evidences of the permanency of the prosperity were shown in the improvements to the streets, the sewerage system and other public conveniences. Now has come a set back, but it will be only temporary. The mine will be running again next week, but the bereaved hearts do not heal so easily, and the scars caused by the awful event of October 5th will long remain.

Clearing Mine of Gas.
Alex. Brydon, seen last night just before midnight, as he left the mine with a shift, said that the mine was then almost free from gas. It would be a little time before the debris caused by the cave-in could be removed and the mine straightened out.

This would, however, be only a matter of a short time. The examining of the face of the workings could not be proceeded with, some people who were not miners rather wondered why they were so slow getting into the mine. After an explosion the tendency was always for the mine to fill up with gas or afterdamp, and this would lie in the workings for an indefinite period. The only way to get it out was to introduce a draught of fresh air. The air would not go into the workings unless actually forced to do so. There had to be an intake and outlet. This was made by putting a brattice or partition up through the level around one end of which the air had to pass. If this brattice was broken the air rushed through the opening thus formed and did not get any farther in. It was this brattice work that had to be repaired before it was safe to go in. A step or two ahead of where the air was circulating meant certain death.

At the time of a disaster of this kind it is customary for many of the people in a mining community to forsake the mines and all that pertains to them. Men often leave the town, but they are back again soon, and in a few weeks may be found in their own stalls. The wife of one of the victims at Ladysmith burned the mining clothes of her two boys who were working in one of the mines, and declared that they should never enter a coal mine again. These resolutions are never kept, for there is a fascination about the business which cannot be resisted. Everyone returns again, once they have familiarized themselves with the work.

Dread the Mines.

On the arrival of every train coming from the Extension mines after the accident, crowds congregated, among whom were a few women. When a coffin was taken off the train, or a stretcher was carried away with its grim burden, there was respectful silence. All last night many people listened for the whistle of the train, but every time it arrived they were disappointed at the non-arrival of the bodies. It was early morning before they were in readiness to be removed. Then all were brought down with the exception of the two who were brought out of the mines later.

Mr. Dunsmuir Remains.

Hon. James Dunsmuir is still at the mines, and will probably take part personally in the investigation. He is deeply grieved at the loss of life which has occurred, and especially at the fact that the men who were lost were among the finest men in the community and in the employ of the company.

PERSONAL.

J. L. Beckwith and Mrs. Beckwith have left for Seattle on a visit to the A.-Y.-P. exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Fell have returned to Victoria after a trip to Eastern Canada, and in Mr. Fell's case to Europe.

Capt. George A. Huff, of Alberni, arrived last night from Vancouver and will be in town a few days. He is at the King Edward.

The marriage of Miss Hill, eldest daughter of Mr. E. F. Hill, South Turner street, to Mr. Arthur Onwyn Noakes will take place the last week in October.

Rev. C. R. McNair and wife, from Manitoba, are in the city, guests of Mrs. E. John, 238 Douglas street. Mr. McNair will preach at Centennial church Sunday evening next.

B. C. COAST SERVICE
DOUBLE TRIANGULAR ROUTE
Victoria—Vancouver—Seattle
Effective Wednesday, October 6th, 1909.

Princess Victoria	Read Down	Read Up	Princess Charlotte
Dly. ex. Wed. 2.15 p.m.	Lv. Victoria 2.30 p.m.	Ar. Vancouver 10.00 a.m.	Dly. ex. Friday 10.00 a.m.
Dly. ex. Wed. 4.45 p.m.	Lv. Vancouver 10.00 a.m.	Ar. Seattle 11.30 p.m.	Dly. ex. Friday 11.30 p.m.
Dly. ex. Thurs. 8.00 a.m.	Lv. Seattle 11.30 p.m.	Ar. Victoria 4.00 p.m.	Dly. ex. Thurs. 4.00 p.m.
Dly. ex. Thurs. 2.00 p.m.	Lv. Victoria 2.30 p.m.	Ar. Vancouver 10.00 a.m.	Dly. ex. Thurs. 10.00 a.m.

International Steamship Company.

S. S. Iroquois	Read Down	Read Up
Wed. ex. only 11.00 p.m.	Lv. Vancouver 11.30 p.m.	Ar. Seattle 11.30 p.m.
Thursdays only 8.00 a.m.	Lv. Seattle 11.30 p.m.	Ar. Victoria 4.00 p.m.
Thursdays only 2.00 p.m.	Lv. Victoria 2.30 p.m.	Ar. Vancouver 10.00 a.m.

Victoria-Vancouver.

Charmer Pn. Victoria	Read Down	Read Up	Charmer Pn. Charlotte
Dly. ex. Wed. 2.15 p.m.	Lv. V. 2.30 p.m.	Ar. V. 10.00 a.m.	Dly. ex. Fri. 10.00 a.m.
Dly. ex. Wed. 4.45 p.m.	Lv. V. 4.45 p.m.	Ar. V. 11.30 p.m.	Dly. ex. Fri. 11.30 p.m.
Dly. ex. Thurs. 8.00 a.m.	Lv. V. 8.00 a.m.	Ar. V. 11.30 p.m.	Dly. ex. Fri. 11.30 p.m.
Dly. ex. Thurs. 2.00 p.m.	Lv. V. 2.00 p.m.	Ar. V. 11.30 p.m.	Dly. ex. Fri. 11.30 p.m.

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Oct. 7	10.15	10.15
Oct. 8	10.15	10.15

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LOCAL STOCKS

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(Private Exchange)

Alberta Canadian Oil 34
Alberta Coal & Coke 38
American Canadian Oil 32
B. C. Amalgamated Coal 40
S. C. Refining Co. 40
Bakeries, Limited 7.00
Canadian Northwest Oil 41
Diamond Coal 38
Diamond-Vale Coal & Iron 34
International Coal & Coke 38
Nootka Marble Quarries 65.00
Northern Crown Bank 32.50
Northern Oil 38
Pacific Loan Co. 40.00
Pacific Whaling Co., pref. 60.00
Portland Canal Mining 32
Rambler Cariboo 32
Royal Collieries 32
Stewart M. & D. Co. 1.25
Vancouver Brickworks 40
Victoria Transfer Co. 50.00
Western Coal & Coke 2.50
Pacific Radio Wireless 5.00

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Montreal, Oct. 6

Bel Telephone 144
Detroit United Ry. 89
Dom. Coal 89
Do, pref. 117
Dom. Iron & S. 57
Do, pref. 132
Lake of Woods 130
Do, pref. 130
Mackay 92
Do, pref. 70
Montreal L. & P. 124
Montreal Ry. 215
Montreal Telegraph 154
Nova Scotia Steel 75
Ogilvie Mfg. Co. 131
Toronto Ry. Co. 110
Twin City Rap. Trans. 57
Penmans 57
H. B. C. Packers, "A" 90
Do, "B" 90

Banks:

Commerce 154
Merchants 154
Molson 204
Quebec 124
Royal 225
Union 125
Montreal 225

COBALT STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Toronto, Oct. 6

Amalgamated 11
Argenta 11
Bailey 11
Beaver Con. 36
Big Six 121
Buttrick 121
Chambers Ferland 49
City of Cobalt 56
Cobalt Central 30
Green Mead 141
Conlagas 65
Crown Reserve 48
Gifford 43
Hargreaves 52
Hudson Bay 170
Kerr Lake 9
La Rose 194
Little Nipissing 194
McKinley Darragh 90
Nancy Helen 27
Nipissing 114
Nova Scotia 120
Ophir 27
Otis 27
Peterson Lake 311
Right of Way 182
Rochester 121
Silver Leaf 15
Silver Bar 24
Silver Queen 36
Tomkins 31
Tretloway 31
Watts 22

GRAIN MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Oct. 7
Open High Low Close

Wheat—
Dec. 1011 1021 1011 1016
May 1031 1041 1031 1036
July 991 999 991 996
Corn—
Dec. 57 57 57 57
May 57 57 57 57
July 57 57 57 57
Oats—
Dec. 39 39 39 39
May 41 41 41 41
July 41 41 41 41
Jan. 18.27 18.27 18.20 18.20
May 18.00 18.00 18.00 18.00
Lard—
Jan. 10.70 10.70 10.70 10.70
May 10.70 10.70 10.70 10.70
Short Ribs—
Oct. 11.40 11.40 11.40 11.40
Jan. 9.57 9.57 9.57 9.57
May 9.57 9.57 9.57 9.57

LOCAL MARKETS

Oils—
Pratt's Coal Oil 1.15
Kerosene 1.15

Meats—
Hams (B. C.), per lb. 12
Hams (A. C.), per lb. 12
Bacon (American), per lb. 12
Bacon (rolled), per lb. 12
Shoulders, per lb. 12
Bacon (long clear), per lb. 12
Beef, per lb. 12
Pork, per lb. 12
Mutton, per lb. 12
Lamb, hindquarter 1.00
Lamb, forequarter 1.00
Veal, per lb. 12
Suet, per lb. 12

Farm Produce—
Fresh Island Eggs 50
Butter (Creamery) 50
Lard, per lb. 50
Western Canada Flour Mills—
Purity, per sack 2.00
Purity, per bbl. 7.75
Three Star Patent, per sack 1.85
Three Star Patent, per bbl. 7.55
Hungarian Flour—
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack 2.00
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl. 7.75
Lake of Woods, per sack 2.00
Lake of Woods, per bbl. 7.75
Okanagan, per sack 2.00
Okanagan, per bbl. 7.75
Calgary Hungarian, per sack 2.00
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl. 7.75
Moose Jaw, per sack 1.75
Moose Jaw, per bbl. 7.00
Excelsior, per sack 1.75
Excelsior, per bbl. 7.00
Oak Lake, per sack 1.75
Oak Lake, per bbl. 7.00
Hudson's Bay, per sack 2.00
Hudson's Bay, per bbl. 7.75
Enderby, per sack 2.00
Enderby, per bbl. 7.75
Pastry Flour—
Snowflake, per sack 1.55
Snowflake, per bbl. 6.25
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack 1.70
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl. 6.80
O. K. Four Star, per sack 1.70
O. K. Four Star, per bbl. 6.80
Drifted Snow, per sack 1.70
Drifted Snow, per bbl. 6.80
Grain—
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton 60.00
Wheat, per ton 35
Barley 15
Whole Corn 45
Cracked Corn 45
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk. 1.15
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 25-lb. sk. 1.15
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 45-lb. sk. 1.15
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 55-lb. sk. 1.15
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack 1.15
Oatmeal, 25-lb. sack 1.15
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs. 45
Cracked Wheat, 25 lbs. 45
Wheat Flakes, per packet 35
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs. 45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs. 45
Graham Flour, 25 lbs. 45

Feed—
Hay (baled), new, per ton 30.00
Straw, per bale 75
Middlings, per ton 35.00
Brass, per ton 35.00
Ground Feed, per ton 35.00
Shorts 35.00
Poultry—
Dressed Poultry, per lb. 35
Ducks, per lb. 35
Geese (local), per lb. 35
Turkey, per lb. 35
Garden Produce—
Cabbage, per lb. 1.50
Potatoes (local), per lb. 1.50
Onions (Australian), per lb. 1.50
Carrots, per lb. 1.50

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Legions 5.00
Walrus (Cal) 27
Walrus (Eastern) 27
Walrus, each 27
Ham 27
Bacon 27
Carrots, per lb. 27
Bananas, per lb. 27
Butter (local), per lb. 27
Butter (Creamery), per lb. 27
Eggs (local), per doz. 27
Hay, per ton 27
Corn, per ton 27
Oranges (navel) 27
Grape Fruit 27
Tomatoes, per doz. 27
Green Onions, per doz. 27
Radish, per doz. 27
Green Beans 27
Cauliflower, per doz. 27
Wax Beans 27
Valencia Oranges 2.50
Plums, per crate 1.00
Peaches, per crate 1.00
Butter Melons, per crate 1.00
Pears (local) 1.00
Watermelons, per lb. 1.00
Egg Plants, per lb. 1.00
Tomatoes, per lb. 1.00
Grapes, white, per crate 1.00
Crab Apples, per box 1.00
Apples, per box 1.00
Pineapples, per doz. 1.00
Cranberries, per bbl. 1.00
Peppers, Bell, per box 1.00
Peppers, Chili, per box 1.00
Peppers, Cherry, per box 1.00
Garlic, per lb. 1.00
Celery 1.00
Concord Grapes 1.00
Figs (Cal), per package 1.00

San Francisco Markets

(Times Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 7.—Wheat—
New crop, California Club, \$1.75; choice, \$1.85; second, \$1.70; third, \$1.65; fourth, \$1.60; fifth, \$1.55; sixth, \$1.50; seventh, \$1.45; eighth, \$1.40; ninth, \$1.35; tenth, \$1.30; eleventh, \$1.25; twelfth, \$1.20; thirteenth, \$1.15; fourteenth, \$1.10; fifteenth, \$1.05; sixteenth, \$1.00; seventeenth, \$0.95; eighteenth, \$0.90; nineteenth, \$0.85; twentieth, \$0.80; twenty-first, \$0.75; twenty-second, \$0.70; twenty-third, \$0.65; twenty-fourth, \$0.60; twenty-fifth, \$0.55; twenty-sixth, \$0.50; twenty-seventh, \$0.45; twenty-eighth, \$0.40; twenty-ninth, \$0.35; thirtieth, \$0.30; thirty-first, \$0.25; thirty-second, \$0.20; thirty-third, \$0.15; thirty-fourth, \$0.10; thirty-fifth, \$0.05; thirty-sixth, \$0.00; thirty-seventh, \$0.00; thirty-eighth, \$0.00; thirty-ninth, \$0.00; fortieth, \$0.00; forty-first, \$0.00; forty-second, \$0.00; forty-third, \$0.00; forty-fourth, \$0.00; forty-fifth, \$0.00; forty-sixth, \$0.00; forty-seventh, \$0.00; forty-eighth, \$0.00; 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24 Acres, having 1/4 mile on good harbor.
3 Acres Meadow, orchard of 300 trees. Most of balance of land is logged.
Modern House, 8 rooms, pantry and bath; three wells water. Stock, implements and boat. Price, \$6,000.
13 Acres Cowichan Harbor Waterfront. Price, \$2,000.
We publish "Home List," which contains a description of all the best Farms that are for sale on Vancouver Island.

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Lots, Acreage and City Homes.
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NEW 6-ROOMED HOUSE, lot 50x125, on Hillside Avenue. This is a good buy at the price and terms offered.
NEW 7-ROOMED HOUSE, lot 60x120, on Pembroke street. Choice location. Walls burlapped and tinted; piped for furnace. Special price if sold before October 1st.
A FEW CHOICE LOTS on Pembroke, 60x120. Will build house to suit; small cash payment; balance like rent.
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LOT ON GOVERNMENT ST., price \$1,575.00.
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4 NICE LOTS in Fairfield Estate; \$2,100.
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\$3,000—QUEBEC STREET, MODERN 7-ROOMED DWELLING, newly painted and in good order; easy terms.
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2 GOOD LOTS—Between Burnside Rd. and Victoria Arm; 1-3 acre each, \$2,000 for the two.
6-ROOMED BRICK HOUSE—Corner lot, 60x135; 11 fruit trees; the new car line will pass this property, \$2,400—Terms.
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650 VIEW STREET.

BE YOUR OWN LANDLORD. BEFORE THE FARM RUSH.
\$2,850—Pretty Bungalow (new) containing 5 rooms, enameled bath and wash basin, all modern conveniences, and thoroughly well finished throughout; situated on large lot and good locality. A snap at the above price. Terms \$500 cash, balance same as rent.
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VANCOUVER STREET, close to Park, pretty 6-room cottage, one of the best built houses in city; No. 1 material has been used throughout. A house to be seen to be appreciated. Every modern convenience, including two toilets. Full size basement, with furnace. Easily worth \$4,000. Can be bought for \$3,600. Terms, \$1,000 cash, balance arranged.
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New, modern, 5-roomed bungalow, with good basement. Rent \$25.00, including water. Vacant October 1.

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Comfortable 5-roomed cottage. Rent \$21.00; water extra.

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One and a half-story 7-roomed dwelling; large lot 120x270. Rent \$17.50; water extra.

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MENZIES STREET—10-Room House, modern conveniences, \$25 per month.

EDMONTON ROAD—6-Room House, \$12.00 per month.

C. C. PEMBERTON.

Room 3,
1214 GOVERNMENT STREET.

FOR SALE.

GOOD SIX-ROOMED COTTAGE.

New, with all modern conveniences; splendid view, and one acre of land, good soil; Foul Bay.

EASY TERMS.

GASOLINE LAUNCH

ADRIFF IN STORM

Narrowly Escapes Reefs While on Voyage to Prince Rupert.

Prince Rupert, Oct. 6.—Buffeted by wind and sea, her engines dead, neither food nor water aboard, the gasoline launch Kuro Suna found herself eighty miles above Port Simpson, when Prince Rupert was her destination. The weather was favorable last Wednesday when the launch set out for Prince Rupert with Arthur Pearson and Walter H. Parsons aboard. Later, however, when her engines refused to work and the launch was driven before the storm, darkness came on ere the engine would turn over, even on two cylinders. Finally she got under power again, and the frail craft was headed for shore. Her escape from the breakers was miraculous, only the extreme tide at this season helped her over them. Daylight with a calmer sea showed the jagged edges of the reefs on all sides. Running under two cylinders the party made port. They appeared little the worse of their experiences.

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1307 GOVERNMENT STREET.

HOUSES TO LET.

2543 QUADRA STREET, large modern house, \$35.00.

516 HILLSIDE AVENUE, 10 rooms, \$28.00.

821 CORMORANT STREET, 7 rooms, \$20.00.

1226 PANDORA STREET, 5-room Cottage, \$20.00.

1225 JOHNSON STREET, \$20.00.

714 KING'S ROAD, 6 rooms, \$18.00.

29 BAY STREET, 6 rooms, \$15.00.

2802 BRIDGE STREET, 5 rooms, \$15.00.

308 JOHNSON (Rear), \$11.00.

JAMES BAY—Within the next six weeks we will have a large modern house to let close to Parliament Buildings.

MONEY TO LOAN.

FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

News of the Province

MAY FLOAT LOAN TO BUILD SIDEWALKS

Number of Requests Received by the Council of North Vancouver.

North Vancouver, Oct. 6.—City Treasurer Thomas Shepherd resigned his position in a letter read at the last meeting of the city council. Mr. Shepherd holds the dual offices of treasurer and clerk to the city, and he explained in his letter of resignation that the duties and responsibilities of the two offices were greater than he cared to bear. The communication was referred to the finance committee.

Chief Justice Davis reported that a case of shooting within the city limits had been dismissed in court that morning on the grounds of lack of a supporting by-law. A by-law will be drafted and presented to the next meeting to cover the point.

A long list of requests for sidewalks and roads was read. Ald. McNeil, chairman of the board of works, stated that the money was not on hand to do everything this year, but that everything that could be done would be. Ald. Schultz held that the people had a right to have city conveniences wherever the money came from, and he urged notice of motion to introduce a by-law to raise money by way of loan for building sidewalks.

FREIGHT HAULED OVER

NEW ELECTRIC LINE

Work of Ballasting Cloverdale Branch is Nearing Completion.

New Westminster, Oct. 6.—The Cloverdale branch of the B. C. Electric is now completed to a stage which permits of the handling of freight, and during the past two days a number of carloads of goods for the residents of Surrey have been taken over the new line attached to the work train.

Two steam locomotives are working on the ballasting of the track, with gravel from the several pits of the company along the line and it is rapidly being brought into first class condition. Wiring gangs are pushing out from the city, but it is estimated that it will be two weeks before they can complete the work.

Arrangements are being made to remove the large camp on the south side of the Westminster bridge to Cloverdale and a large gang are at work constructing bunk houses and warehouse sheds for material. The engineers' headquarters will still remain at New Westminster, the construction men alone moving to the end of the section. Preparations are also being made for the immediate erection of a large substation at Cloverdale from which power will be supplied for the first and second sections of the Chilliwack branch, when completed. One of the first ships made over the new line was a quantity of material for the substation and equipment.

DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED.

Montreal, Oct. 7.—Hon. R. McKay, Hon. Jas. Dunsmeuir and Messrs. McKay and Hoguer were re-elected directors of the Canadian Pacific at the annual meeting yesterday.

BREEDING PHEASANTS AT CHILLIWACK

Number of Birds Will Probably Be Liberated Next Year.

New Westminster, Oct. 6.—It is not generally known that pheasants are being bred in the city for the stocking of the woods of the province, and the sport of the hunter. Yet such is the case, and at the present time there are some eighty young birds being reared, the majority of which will probably be turned free in the spring.

There is a provincial government pheasant raising station at Chilliwack where a large number of birds are turned free from time to time. Last year by public subscription largely a sum of money was raised for the purchase of new birds from Europe to improve the strain of the pheasants in the province, and to which many New Westminster men contributed freely. For the money twenty pair of pure-bred Mongolian pheasants were purchased from Lord Ernest Hamilton and imported. These were taken to Chilliwack and successfully bred, with the result that it is intended to free some four hundred birds from the farm next year.

In response to a request by Dr. McKay, assistant superintendent of the provincial asylum at this city, 120 eggs from the imported birds were sent by the provincial game warden and an inmate of the hospital, who took an interest in birds, was given charge of them. The results was gratifying, of one batch of twenty-seven only two failing to hatch successfully. The greatest care has been taken of the birds since that time, the patient in charge, who is a Greek, giving them the utmost attention.

It is the intention to transfer the birds in the spring to the new asylum farm where they will be protected and fed for some time, whilst enjoying practically full freedom and becoming hardened to the wild life. Later they will be turned into the woods.

The Mongolian pheasant is a much larger bird than the pheasant with which the woods are at present stocked.

Next year 100 English partridges will be brought out and placed on the Chilliwack farm for breeding purposes, the

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FOUR ACRES—Strawberry Vale, next to School House, some fruit trees. Good buy. Price \$1,500, balance 3 years at 7 per cent.

TWENTY-TWO ACRES—Cobble Hill; new 6-room cottage, new barn, chicken houses and runs; about one-half under cultivation; balance partly cleared. A splendid opportunity for chickens and fruit; one mile from school and one mile and a quarter from two stations. Price \$2,000. Terms arranged.

NEW SIX-ROOM MODERN HOUSE—Lot 60x120; good locality, ten minutes' walk from centre of business district. Price \$5,000.

TO LET.

TO LET—6-Room house with 1/2 acre ground, but buildings, modern, close to car line. Rent \$25 a month.

TO LET—6-Room House, modern, near car and high school. Rent \$25.

TO LET—6-Roomed House, 1458 Pandora avenue. Rent \$20.

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2 IDEAL BUILDING LOTS, close to the car and free of rock. Will sell the two for \$800. Have a beautiful view of Foul Bay. Terms, \$50 cash and \$20 per month.

2 BEAUTIFUL LOTS, facing the sea and close to the car. Magnificent view. \$300 for the pair. Terms, \$100 cash, balance at \$20 per month.

4 ACRES—FAIRM, 10 miles from city, on Sidney Railway, all cleared, good water, 7-room new bungalow, good chicken houses, barn, etc. Improvements worth price asked. Terms easy. Price \$2,500.

17 1/2 ACRES—Beautiful suburban home, 3 1/2 miles from centre of city, all cleared and cultivated, barns, chicken houses and large house. Price \$1,000. Easy terms.

6-ROOM HOUSE, partly furnished, concrete foundation, heated with hot water, beautiful home, \$4,000.

1 LOT, McPherson Avenue, cleared, boulevards, sewer, water, etc. \$50 cash balance \$10 monthly. Price \$600.

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ROOM 21, 618 YATES STREET.
Phone 2162.

FOR SALE.

7-ROOM NEW HOUSE, modern, May street. Price \$2,450; \$300 cash; balance to suit.

8-ROOM HOUSE, modern, Chamberlain street; paved street; boulevard. Price \$4,500; any reasonable terms accepted.

5-ROOM COTTAGE, modern, Amphion street. Price \$1,950; \$200 cash; balance to suit.

1 CHOICE LOT, Fort street; owner leaving town; must go at \$400; get busy and make 50 per cent. on investment.

birds being released when a sufficient number have been raised.

MUCH ACTIVITY

UP AT QUATSINO

Sawmill for Pulp Co. Running Full Blast—Railway to Hardy Bay.

(Special Correspondence.)
Quatsino, Oct. 7.—The sawmill of the Western Canada Pulp & Paper Company is now running full blast and there is much rejoicing in this little community at the prospect for the ushering in of an era of prosperity and progress, long deferred. Though only a small force is at present employed at the mill it is likely that the number of men will be increased from time to time and that ultimately several hundred men will be at work for the company in connection with the pulp enterprise.

A preliminary survey has been made of the railway to Hardy Bay and the route is declared feasible and the gradients low.

The boarding house for the men employed at the sawmill is now being put up and the erection of the necessary buildings for the mill proper will be taken in hand immediately. There are eight or ten acres of land already cleared as a site for these latter buildings.

A post office, to be known as Marble Cove, is to be installed in this vicinity.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—An inquest was held yesterday afternoon on the body of P. W. Cody, who was found dead on Richards street, near the Bank of British North America building. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

PILES

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for hemorrhoids, piles, itching, bleeding, and protruding piles. See testimonials in paper and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. 5c. at all dealers or EDWARDS, BATES & Co., Toronto.

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T. S. GORE and J. M. MCGREGOR, British Columbia Land Surveyors. Chancery Chambers, 18 Langley St., P. O. Box 10. Phone 1004.

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C. W. BRADSHAW, Barrister, etc., Law Chambers, Bastion street, Victoria.

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Music

BANJO, MANDOLIN AND GUITAR lessons by W. G. Wright, Conductor of the Alexandra Mandolin and Guitar Club, late professor of banjo, mandolin and guitar at Alberta College, Edmonton, etc. Phone 1010, 1115 Yates.

CHORAL CLASS—In response to many requests, MISS CORDELLA GRILLIS is prepared to form a Singing Class (female voices only) to meet weekly, starting in October. Apply Room 31, Five Sisters' Block.

ANY INSTRUMENT (including the theory and science of music) thoroughly and efficiently taught at exceptionally moderate rates. Apply Principal, Louis College, Pandora Ave. 1010.

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C. P. COX, Piano and Organ Tuner, 1014 Quadra street, Telephone 84.

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Lodges

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. R. W. Smith, Sec. Rec. Sec. 101.

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COMPANION COURT FAR WEST, I. O. F., No. 125, meets first and third Monday each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Isabelle Moore, Financial Secretary, 501 Hillside Ave., city.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora streets. J. L. Smith, Sec. R. & S. Box 64.

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A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 198, meets at K. of P. Hall 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Secy.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA meet every second and third Tuesday of each month at St. William's Hall, Broad street. G. L. Bissell, clerk, 1115 Douglas street.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Monday, the 20th inst., for the supplying and delivering at the Public Market Building, Comorant street, forty-five thousand (45,000) Carbons for open type lamps in accordance with specifications. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Sept. 7th, 1909.

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Blasting Rock

NOTICE—J. R. Williams, rock blasting contractor, and rock for sale, 408 Michigan street, Phone 1343.

NOTICE—G. Zarelli and J. Paul, contractors for rock blasting. Apply 100 South Pandora. Phone No. 2145.

Blue Printing and Maps

PRINTS—Any length in one piece, six cents per foot. Timber and land maps. Electric Blue Print and Map Co., 115 Langley St.

Boat Building

VICTORIA BOAT & ENGINE COMPANY, LTD., boat and launch builders. Boat building material for amateur repairs, engines installed, etc. Estimates and designs furnished. W. D. Buck, mgr., 43 David St. Phone 20.

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NO MATTER where you bought your shoes, bring them here to be repaired. HIBBEN, 3 Oriental Ave., opposite Pantages Theatre.

Builders' Supplies

JAMES M. MELLIS & CO.—Mantels, stoves, tile, chandeliers, etc. Have moved into their new showrooms, 612 Fort street. Phone 1137.

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BETTER THAN EVER—W. F. DRYDALE, BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR, 101 North Park street, has installed a modern wood-working plant. See him about building, repairs or job work. Phone 1132.

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821 FORT ST. Phone 1352. Will be open till 11 p.m. Ladies' days are: Mondays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Swedish massage.

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TO LET—6 roomed house, modern, near Oak Bay. \$15 a month. Apply Reader, Oak Bay.

TO RENT—Furnished house, facing Beacon Hill park. Apply Thos. Plimley, Victoria, B. C.

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GREENHOUSES, flat bottom, long, ladders, steps, made safe, dog houses in stock and made to order. Jones, corner Fort and Blanchard Sts.

FOR SALE—Gold filled pins, 1.75; ladies' bracelets, \$2.50; up-to-date limit, per earrings, 50c; gent's lockers, 2-piece, \$1.25; latest cut holders, 50c per pair. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 717 Johnson street, second floor below Government. Phone 137.

J. W. BOLDEN, the carpenter and joiner, has removed from Yates street to corner Fort and Quadra. Telephone 1107 ft.

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FOR SALE—Spring wagon and buggy top. McGregor's Blacksmith Shop, Johnson street.

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FINE LOTS FOR SALE—Cultivated and improved, in good locations. Fine lots, terms. Apply 649 Yates.

FOR SALE—Cheapest yet, two lots on Douglas street, lot 1000, terms. Apply 350 St. James street.

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ADELAIDE ROAD—We have three good lots close to Cook street car line, on Fairford. Each lot contains 1.5 acres, cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. N. B. May-Smith & Co., Ltd.

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FOR SALE—Fine lot, Oak Bay avenue, 6201/2, near junction. Price \$200. Phone R146.

For Sale—Livestock

FOR SALE—Pedigreed English setters, finest blood stock in America. Fine dogs, 1 year old, pick of litter, blue ticked, handsome animal, good hunter and retriever (water or land), staunch old dog, no fault, cheap; dog pup, 8 weeks old, strong, healthy animal, pick of litter, lemon ticked, every ticked, a promising pup, cheap. James Fairall, 66 Springfield Ave., Victoria West. Phone R191.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Plymouth Rock cockerels from prize stock. J. West, 224 Belmont Ave. \$3.

COW, good, for sale, rising 4 years. Apply Devalle, Son & Co., supply stores, Hillside avenue.

JERSEY COW FOR SALE—Fresh last July. Apply Thos. Plimley, Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE—Three pedigree Homer pigeons. Apply to 112 Johnson St. \$25 ft.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred smooth haired fox terriers from prize winning stock. Apply 1111 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—5 don, Black Minorcas. Apply 1003 Ophir Ave.

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CARROTS, 10 pounds for	25c
TURNIPS AND PARSNIPS, per lb	3c
BEETS, per pound	3c
CRANBERRIES, Cape Cod, per quart	25c
CRANBERRIES, native, per pint	10c
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Great Auction of Household Furniture and Effects

On Friday, 2 p. m.

At 742 Fort St.

Davies & Sons, Auctioneers, Phone 742.

Preliminary Notice

Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by Mrs. Tilton, will sell by Public Auction, at her residence, 228 Heywood Avenue, on

Tuesday, Oct. 12th

At 2 p. m.

The whole of her

Household Furniture and Effects

Particulars later.

On view, Monday, October 11th.

Stewart Williams, the Auctioneer

Maynard & Son

AUCTIONEERS.

Instructed we will sell at sale room, Broad street,

To-morrow, 2 p.m.

ELEGANT OAK

FURNITURE & EFFECTS

Including very fine Upright Piano, handsome Oak Sectional Bookcase, Oak Library Table, handsome Oak Sideboard, round Walnut Extension Table, very fine Oak Buffet, Oak Centre Table, very fine Mirror in Mission Oak Frame, Mahogany Rocker, Rattan Chair, Turkish Chair up, in silk, very fine Rosewood Settee up, in silk, very fine Couches, Music Cabinet, Walnut Marble Top Centre Table, very fine Pictures, splendid almost new Carpets, full-size Iron Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, Bedroom Suite, Dressers and Stands, Toilet Sets, Bed Comforts, Blankets, etc.; Wedgwood Plates, Carving Set, very fine Clock, Plated Dinner Gong, handsome Plated Tray, China, Kitchen Tables, Chairs, Linoleum, Cooking Utensils, 3 Heaters and Hall Stoves, Cook Stove, 4-hole Steel Range, 2 Gas Ranges, Step Ladder, Refrigerator, Barrel Churn, Melon Separator, Lever Butter Worker, etc.

1 Standard Bred 3-year-old Horse, broken.

1 Durham Cow, due to calve next month.

1 Grade Cow, milking.

1 Jersey Cow, milking.

Also, to settle a partnership, we will sell:

1 UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER.

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Carpet, Typewriter Desk, Morris Chair, Office Chair.

On view Thursday afternoon and morning of sale.

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KIDNAPPER INDICTED.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 7.—The grand jury yesterday returned three indictments against Theo. Rizzo, the Italian who on the night of September 12th kidnapped two little girls and a boy, took them to a culvert in the gulf, in the eastern section of the city, killed one of the girls outright, mortally wounded the boy and seriously wounded the other girl. The indictments charge Rizzo with the murder of two of the children, and with assault with intent to kill the other.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION

DISCUSS NEXT SHOW

Proposal Made to Have Cat Exhibit in Connection With it.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association was held last evening in the Labor Hall. The business was soon disposed of, after which the secretary, W. Nactieb, gave a demonstration on canning.

A letter had been received by the secretary from the Saanich Agricultural Society asking the association to sell a number of coops. The Saanich society borrowed quite a number of them for their recent show, and as they serve such a good purpose they have asked for the association to sell them some. It was agreed by those present that the association could not spare any coops, as they will need them all for their own show, and it is probable that the local association will have to buy more.

Mr. Large, who was appointed to look into the matter of the advisability of adding a cat show to the annual poultry show, reported that he had been in conversation with a number of local ladies, and all of them agreed to assist in any way they could to make the cat department a success. Mr. Large was then instructed to communicate with the ladies who are now trying hard to form a cat club, requesting them to appoint a committee to co-operate with the committee of the Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association.

Considerable discussion was heard as to where the next annual show should be held. The date has been fixed for the second week in January. A committee consisting of Messrs. Reid, Garland and Nactieb was appointed to look into this matter.

The topic chosen for the next meeting of the association will be "Feeding of Laying and Market Poultry." Mr. Jull has kindly consented to give an address on the subject, which will be treated both from the scientific and practical standpoints.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

DOMINION.

J. H. Farwell, Seattle; E. G. Hewitt and wife, Maple Creek; D. A. Galbraith, Nanaimo; G. Harrowee, A. C. Acher and wife, Vancouver; W. H. Doucett, Seattle; Miss H. Brynall, Denver; Mrs. L. W. Curtis and daughter, Mrs. Keary and family, Los Angeles; George Watts, Bay City, Ont.; A. E. Opperman and wife, Sumnerland; T. S. Smith and wife, Seattle; S. Harkins and family, Portland; I. Broth and family, Cody; W. Milligan, Fred. Easton, Otter Point; J. H. Odell, Eugene; W. H. O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Eastman, R. C. Campbell, Vancouver; V. W. Blantell, Seattle; C. F. Perry, Vancouver; F. Clouthier, St. Lawrence; D. M. Campbell, Calgary; M. Gourman, Mrs. A. J. Stone, M. Brown, D. Blair, Vancouver; H. Ford and family, A. R. Lord, Calgary; Chas. R. Nelson, Mrs. J. W. Poole, Mrs. L. W. Fox, Seattle; Charles W. Burnett, Mayne Island; H. A. Bayfield, Vancouver; Chas. F. Hubbard and wife, Vancouver; Col. Mrs. J. C. McDermitt, Sooke; W. H. Whelan, Vancouver; J. D. McDermitt and wife, Waco; W. Chappelle, Vancouver; William Newman, Seattle; Chas.

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To-morrow, 2 p. m.

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Nugget Range, six-hole.

Very fine painting Lion Head, by L. Ross Hicks.

A number of chickens.

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HERE'S THE NEWEST THING IN RUGS

Don't Miss Seeing These New Arrivals In "Ragstyle" Rugs

IF YOU would see the rugs that are "the craze" in the large and small cities and towns of the United States, come in and see these late arrivals in Ragstyle rugs now shown on the second floor. These rugs are made in the old Colonial way—the way our grandmothers used to make carpets from old rags. They differ in some particulars—only new materials are used, designs are more artistic, colors are absolutely fast. Come in and view these. You'll be delighted with them.

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DON'T miss these fall novelties in Art Rugs. They are the very latest ideas and have never before been shown in this city. You'll like them; like their pleasing color combinations and artistic designs. And if you purchase one you'll be delighted with the long, hard service it will give, for they are heavy wool rugs, woven in a special basket weave with an unusually strong warp. Thick and durable.

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SEMINOLE OR MISSION RUGS—These come in simple designs and pleasing colorings. There is a great choice. There are dozens of places in your home where one would be an excellent addition. Size 30 x 60 in. Priced at, each \$4.00

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DECANTERS, at, each, \$16 and	\$10
COMOTES, fine pattern, at, each	\$12
BOWLS, big range, from \$40 to	\$6.00
SUGARS AND CREAMS, from, per pair, \$16 to	\$5.00
VASES, from, each, \$35 down to	\$3.50
HANDLED NAPPIES, from, each, \$7.50 to	\$3.00

NAPPIES, many patterns, from \$8 to	\$2.50
CELERY TRAYS, from, each, \$12 to	\$6.00
FLOWER BASKETS, at, each, \$20 and	\$16
CANDLESTICKS, at, \$7.50 and	\$6.00
WHISKY JUGS, from \$18 to	\$10
TUMBLERS, from, per dozen	\$20
WATER BOTTLES, from, each, \$14 to	\$4.50
MAYONNAISE AND STAND, at, each	\$12
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JUST as you step out of the elevator on the third floor you'll see a decidedly attractive new arrival—a diningroom suite in golden oak, finished in the dull or wax finish. Table, buffet and chairs—all of the newest design. This suite is pleasing, shown here among the other furniture, but placed in the home with other furnishings to harmonize, it would be delightful. This finish is growing in popularity. Come in and see this suite.

SIDEBOARD—Selected quarter cut oak, wax finished. Has 5 drawers, 2 cupboards, large bevel plate mirror, top shelf \$50

TABLE—Round top, pedestal style, selected oak, in wax finish. Top is 44 in., and extends to 8 ft. Finely finished \$37.50

CHAIRS—New design in dining chairs, golden oak, wax finish, upholstered in leather \$6.50
ARM CHAIRS to match, at \$8.00

Here Are Other Stylish Items For Your Diningroom

STROLLING through our dining room furniture section these pieces listed here stand out prominently from among the medium priced styles offered. It is impossible to properly describe them here. You'll be pleased with them and surprised at the price tickets you'll find attached—agree with us that they are excellent values. Shown on third floor.

CHINA CABINETS—We have two corner style china cabinets that are priced very reasonably indeed. They come in either golden oak or Early English finished oak. Have 4 shelves and 2 mirrors and bent glass doors. Priced at, each \$30

BUFFET—We have this style in either golden, or Early English oak finish. Has 2 cupboards and 3 drawers, large bevel plate mirror of best quality. Top shelf. Priced at \$28

BUFFET—A decidedly attractive style in Early English Empire oak. Has 2 bevel plate mirrors, 1 large and 3 small drawers, 2 cupboards. Top and 2 small side shelves. Priced at \$30

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